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Industrial Tribunal and Flexible Tariff Urged In President's Message

SAYS SUCCESS OF ARMS PARLEY IS 'NOT IMPROBABLE'

Promises Aid to the World in War Restoration; Urges Russian Relief

Notable Session

Executive Delivers Address in Person Before Distinguished Gathering in House Chamber

Washington, Dec. 6—Launching of the new session of congress was completed today with the delivery by President Harding of his opening address at a joint session of the senate and house made notable by the presence of delegates to the armament limitation conference.

Proposals for a flexible tariff, adjustable by the President of the tariff commission; for an industrial tribunal, and for a constitutional amendment to stop the flood of tax free securities were the President's outstanding recommendations on domestic affairs. Turning to the international field, the President said of the armament limitation conference that "a most gratifying world accomplishment is not improbable." He also urged enactment of the measure for funding the Allied debt, proposed food relief for starving Russia, expressed satisfaction over the nations being at peace, and held out promise of aid to the world in war restoration.

Hearty Reception for President.

A hearty reception was given the President by what was said to be one of the largest audiences ever jammed into the house chamber. Demonstrations of a full minute each occurred when he entered at 12:30 o'clock and again when he concluded at 1:20, the entire audience standing and applauding. Applause also broke into his address frequently, especially from house members, when he discussed topics of administration policy, and with especial volume when he advanced his plan for a tribunal to weigh disputes between capital and labor and declared that labor organizations should not be permitted to "exact unfair terms of employment or subject the public to actual distress."

The audience, which included the cabinet, diplomatic corps and many high officials besides the foreign delegates, also responded warmly when, with manifest feeling, the President urged aid for the starving peoples of Europe and proposed a gift of ten million bushels of corn and one million bushels of grain seeds.

Presentation later of a more detailed view on the shipping situation was promised by the executive in declaring that he opposed abrogation of commercial treaties provided by the Jones act. Such abrogation, he said, would cause "chaos." A suggestion for a plan of "reimbursement" to ship operators was accepted as an advance statement of his previously-announced views as to ship subsidies.

Republicans Voice Approval.

The President's recommendations were received by Republican leaders with widespread expressions of approval, although some declared that one or more of the Executive's proposals would be difficult, if not impossible, of early enactment.

Prompt response came to portions of the President's recommendations. Immediately after the joint session, the senate passed a bill urged by Secretary Hoover of the department of commerce, as head of the American relief administration, authorizing donation to the administration of surplus medical and other stores of the army.

Legislation to meet the President's recommendations for a flexible tariff also was proposed immediately by Senator Smoot, Republican of Utah. He introduced amendments to the pending tariff bill which would authorize the President by proclamation to reduce or increase tariff rates based upon American valuation. Hearings on the tariff bill will be resumed tomorrow by the senate finance committee.

In accord with the President's request for prompt action on the Allied debt funding bill, the senate financial committee held two meetings today in an effort to get the bill before the senate immediately.

Emphasizes Agricultural Relief.

The President, in his message, also emphasized need for agricultural relief. He urged improved methods of distribution and marketing of farm products, advocating legislative assistance to cooperative marketing. Railroad freight rates, he added, were subjects of just complaint by farmers.

Other recommendations of the President included reclamation and irrigation development, especially of southern swamp lands, and highway improvement as a measure to aid the unemploymnet situation.

The President expressed satisfaction over the tax revision law enacted in the closing hours of the extra session and its "billion dollar reduction in the tax draft on the people," and urging economy and efficiency, declared the budget system "the greatest reformation in governmental practices since the beginning of the republic."

Party responsibility in government was stressed by the President in what some of his hearers regarded as thinly-veiled dislike over the "bloc" development in congress.

SALIENT POINTS OF THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE

Washington, Dec. 6. — The following is a summary of President Harding's message to congress:

Mr. Speaker and Members of the Congress: It is a very gratifying privilege to come to the congress with the republic at peace with all the nations of the world. More, it is equally gratifying to report that our country is not only free from every impending menace of war, but there are growing assurances of the permanency of the peace which we so deeply cherish.

For approximately 10 years we have dwelt amid menaces of war or as participants in war's actualities, and the inevitable aftermath, with its disordered conditions, has added to the difficulties of government, which adequately cannot be appraised except by those who are in immediate contact and know the responsibilities. Our tasks would be less difficult if we had only ourselves to consider, but so much of the world was involved, the disordered conditions are so well nigh universal, even among nations not engaged in actual warfare, that no permanent readjustments can be effected without consideration of our inescapable relationship to world affairs in finance and trade. Indeed, we should be unworthy of our best traditions if we were unmindful of social, moral and political conditions which are not of direct concern to us, but which do appeal to the human sympathies and the very becoming interest of a people blessed with our national good fortune.

It is not my purpose to bring to you a program of world restoration. In the main such a program must be worked out by the nations most directly concerned. They must themselves turn to the heroic remedies for the menacing conditions under which they are struggling, then we can help, and we mean to help. We shall do so unselfishly because there is compensation in the consciousness of assisting selfishly because the commerce and international exchanges in trade, which marked our high tide of fortunate advancement, are possible only when the nations of all continents are restored to stable order and normal relationship.

Restored Normalcy.

In the main the contribution of this republic to restored normalcy in the world must come through the initiative of the executive branch of the government but the best of intentions and most carefully considered purposes would fail utterly if the sanction and the cooperation of Congress were not cheerfully accorded.

I am very sure we shall have no conflict of opinion about constitutional duties or authority. During the anxieties of war, when necessity seemed compelling, there were excessive grants of authority and an extraordinary concentration of powers in the chief executive. The repeal of war time legislation and the automatic expirations which attended the peace proclamations have put an end to these emergency excesses, but I have the wish to go further than that. I want to join you in restoring, in the most cordial way, the spirit of coordination and cooperation, and that mutuality of confidence and respect which is necessary in representative popular government.

Encroachment upon the functions of congress or attempted dictation of its policy are not to be thought of, much less attempted, but there is an insistent call for harmony of purpose and concord of action to speed the solution of the difficult problems confronting both the legislative and executive branches of the government.

It is worth while to make allusion here to the character of our government, mindful as one must be that an address to you is no less a message to all our people, for whom you speak most intimately. Ours is a popular government through political parties. We divide along political lines and I would ever have it so. I do not mean that partisan preferences should hinder any public servant in the performance of a conscientious and patriotic official duty. We saw partisan lines utterly obliterated when war imperiled, and our faith in the republic was riveted anew. We ought not to find these partisan lines obstructing the expeditious solution of the urgent problems of peace.

Granting that we are fundamentally a representative popular government, with political parties the governing agencies, I believe the political party in power should assume responsibility, determine upon policies in the conference which supplements conventions and election campaigns, and then strive for achievement through adherence to the accepted policy.

Tariff Law.

There is before you the completion of the enactment of what has been termed a "permanent" tariff law, the word "permanent" being used to distinguish it from the emergency act which the congress expedited early in the extraordinary session and which is the law today. I cannot too strongly urge an early completion of this necessary legislation. It is needed to stabilize our industry at home; it is essential to make more definite our trade relations abroad. More, it is vital to the preservation of many of our own industries, which contribute so notably to the very life-blood of our nation.

There is now, and there always will be, a storm of conflicting opinion about any tariff revision. We cannot go far wrong when we base our tariffs on the policy of preserving the productive activities which enhance employment and add to our national prosperity.

Again comes the reminder that we must not be unmindful of world conditions, that peoples are struggling for industrial rehabilitation and that we cannot dwell in industrial and commercial exclusion and at the same time do the just thing in aiding world reconstruction and readjustment. We do not seek a selfish aloofness, and we could not profit by it were it possible. We recognize the necessity of buying wherever we sell, and the permanency of trade lies in its acceptable exchanges. In our pursuit of markets we must give as well as receive. We cannot sell to others who do not produce nor can we buy unless we produce at home. Sensible of every obligation of humanity, commerce and finance, linked as they are in the present world condition, it is not to be argued that we need destroy ourselves to be helpful to others. With all my heart I wish restoration to the peoples blighted by the awful world war, but the process of restoration does not lie in our acceptance of like conditions. It were better to remain upon firm ground, strive for ample employment and high standards of wage at home, and point the way to balanced budgets, rigid economy and resolute, efficient work as the necessary remedies to cure disaster.

American Agriculture.

Something more than tariff protection is required by American agriculture. To the farmer has come the earlier and the heavier burdens of readjustment. There is actual depression in our agricultural industry, while agricultural prosperity is absolutely essential to the general prosperity of the country.

Congress has sought very earnestly to provide relief. It has promptly given such temporary relief as has been possible, but the call is insistent for the permanent solution. It is inevitable that large crops lower the prices and short crops advance them. No legislation can cure that fundamental law. But there must be some economic solution for the excessive variation in returns for agricultural production.

It is rather shocking to be told, and to have the statement strongly supported, that 9,000,000 bales of cotton, raised on American plantations in a given year, will actually be worth more to the producers than 13,000,000 bales would have been. Equally shocking is the statement that 700,000,000 bushels of wheat raised by American farmers would bring them more money than a billion bushels. Yet these are not exaggerated statements. In a world where there are tens of millions who need food and clothing which they cannot get, such a condition is sure to indict the social system which permits it possible.

In the main the remedy lies in distribution and marketing. Every proper encouragement should be given to the cooperative marketing programs. These have proven very helpful to the cooperating comunities in Europe. In Russia the cooperative community has become recognized bulwark of law and order, and saved individualism from engulfment in social paralysis. Ultimately they will be accredited with the salvation of the Russian state.

Rights of Farmers.

There is the appeal for this experiment. Why not try it? No one challenges the right of the farmer to a larger share of the consumer's pay for his products, no one can dispute that we cannot live without the farmer. He is justified in rebelling against the transportation cost. Given a fair return for his labor he will have less occasion to appeal for financial aid; and given assurance that his labors shall not be in vain, we reassure all the people of a production sufficient to meet our national requirement and guard against disaster.

The base of the pyramid of civilization which rests upon the soil is shrinking through the drift of population from the farm to city. For a generation we have been expressing more or less concern about this tendency. Economists have warned and statesmen have deplored.

We thought for a time that modern conveniences and the more intimate contact would halt the movement but it has gone steadily on. Perhaps only grim necessity will correct it, but we ought to find a less drastic remedy.

The existing scheme of adjusting freight rates has been favoring the basing points, until industries are attracted to some centers and repelled from others. A great volume of uneconomic and wasteful transportation has attended and the cost increased accordingly. The grain milling and meat packing industries afford ample illustration, and the attending concentration is readily apparent. The menaces in concentration are not limited to the retarding influences in agriculture. Manifestly the conditions and terms of railway transportation ought not be permitted to increase this undesirable tendency. We have a just pride in our great cities but we shall find a greater pride in the nation, which has a larger distribution of its population into the country, where comparatively self sufficient smaller communities may blend agricultural and manufacturing interests in harmonious helpfulness and enhanced good fortune. Such a movement contemplates no destruction of things wrought, or investments made, or wealth involved. It only looks to a general policy of transportation of distributed industry and of highway construction, to encourage the spread of our population and restore the proper balance between city and country. The problem may well have your earnest attention.

The Rights of Labor.

The right of labor to organize is just as fundamental and necessary as is the right of capital to organize. The right of labor to negotiate, to deal with and solve its particular problems in an organized way, through its chosen agents, is just as essential as is the right of capital to organize, to maintain corporations, to limit the liabilities of stockholders. Indeed, we have come to recognize that the limited liability of the citizen as a member of a labor organization closely parallels the limitation of liability of the citizen as a stockholder in a corporation for profit. Along this line of reasoning we shall make the greatest progress toward solution of our problem of capital and labor.

In the case of the corporation which enjoys the privilege of limited liability of stockholders, particularly when engaged in the public service, it is recognized that the outside public has a large concern which must be protected; and so we provide regulations, restrictions and in some cases detailed supervision. Likewise in the case of labor organizations, we might well apply similar and equally well defined principles of regulation and supervision in order to conserve the public's interest as affected by their operations.

Just as it is not desirable that a corporation shall be allowed to impose undue exactions upon the public so it is not desirable that a labor organization shall be permitted to exact unfair terms of employment or subject the public to actual distresses in order to enforce its terms. Finally, just as political differences between nations without resort to war, so we may well look about for means to settle the differences between organized labor without resort to those forms of warfare which we recognize under the names of strikes, lockouts, boycotts and the like.

As we have great bodies of law carefully regulating the organization and operations of industrial and financial corporations, as we have treaties and compacts among nations, which look to the settlement of differences without the necessity of conflict in arms, so we might well have plans of conference, of common counsel, of mediation, arbitration and judicial determination in controversies between labor and capital. To accomplish this would involve the necessity to develop a thoroughgoing code of practice in dealing with such affairs. It might be well to frankly set forth the superior interest of the community as a whole to either the labor group or the capital group. With rights, privileges of immunities and modes of organization thus carefully defined, it should be possible to get up judicial or quasi-judicial tribunals for the consideration and determination of all disputes which menace the public welfare.

In an industrial society such as ours, the strike, the lockout and the boycott are as much out of place and as disastrous in their results as is war or armed revolution in the domain of politics. The same disposition to reasonableness, to conciliation, to recognition of the other side's point of view, the same provision of fair and recognized tribunals and processes, ought to make it possible to solve the one set of questions as easily as the other. I believe the solution is possible.

RETURNS INDICATE DEFEAT OF MEIGHEN GOVERNMENT

Ottawa, Dec. 6.—Premier Meighen was defeated in his home constituency, Portage LaPrairie, Manitoba, in the Canadian election today. His opponent was Harry Leader, Progressive.

Returns received tonight indicated defeat of the Meighen government and a landslide for the liberals, led by W. L. MacKenzie King. Seven members of the cabinet were defeated.

Treaty Establishes an "Irish Free State" With Full Dominion Status

AGREEMENT MUST YET RUN GAUNTLET OF ULSTER GOVT.

Doubtless Many Modifications Will Be Proposed Before Northern Parliament Accepts

Treaty Outlined

Members of Irish Government Must "Be Faithful to His Majesty the King"

(By The Associated Press).

London, Dec. 6.—The centuries-old quarrel between England and Ireland was ended, as has been fervently hoped, in the small hours of Tuesday morning by the signature in the prime minister's cabinet room of "a treaty between Great Britain and Ireland," consisting of 18 articles giving Ireland the title of the Irish Free State and the same constitutional status as Canada, Australia and other overseas dominions.

The question of allegiance, which up to the last moment threatened to wreck the negotiations, was surmounted by permitting the members of the Irish parliament to swear allegiance to the constitution of the Irish Free State and "be faithful to His Majesty the King."

The treaty has yet to run the gauntlet of the Ulster government and of the imperial parliament. The imperial parliament has been summoned to meet on December 14, and will be opened in state by the king, who has taken the closest personal interest in the Irish negotiations since he practically instigated them when he opened the Ulster parliament.

Ulster's Position Uncertain.

Approval by the imperial parliament is a foregone conclusion, but the position of Ulster is less certain. Evidence comes from Belfast tonight that the treaty will be subjected to the most searching examination before receiving assent, and doubtless many modifications will be proposed.

King George hastened to send the prime minister a telegram congratulating him on the success of the negotiations and declaring: "I am overjoyed to hear the splendid news." The king will come to London purposely tomorrow to preside over the privy council to approve the proclamation summoning parliament, as the constitution requires a six days' notice by royal proclamation.

Ireland is treated as a single entity in the provisions of the treaty, with special clauses providing against the possibility that Ulster should refuse acquiescence in the settlement, in which case the government of Ireland act of 1920 will remain in force so far as the northern parliament is concerned, but with the stipulation that a special commission shall determine new boundaries for Northern Ireland. Provisions also are made for the cooperation of the two parliaments in providing certain safeguards in the event of Ulster remaining out of the new free state. Neither parliament, however, will be permitted under the treaty, to make laws endowing any particular religion, or to impose any religious disability.

The treaty looks to Ireland, in the future, undertaking its own coastal defense and provides that Ireland shall, in time of war, give the British forces necessary harbor and other facilities. It further, by providing against international limitation of armaments, recognizes the Irish Free State's right to maintain its own military defense force.

OUTSTANDING PROVISIONS OF THE IRISH SETTLEMENT

London, Dec. 6.—A summary of the provisions of the Irish agreement follows:

Article 1. Ireland shall have the same constitutional status in community of nations known as the British Empire as the Dominion of Canada, the Commonwealth of Australia, the Dominion of New Zealand and the Union South Africa, with a parliament having powers to make laws for peace and order and good government in Ireland, and an executive responsible to that parliament, and shall be styled and known as the Irish Free State.

Article 2. Subject to provisions hereinafter set out, the position of the Irish Free State in relation to the imperial parliament, the government and otherwise, shall be that of a Dominion of Canada, and the law, practice and constitutional usage governing the relationship of the crown or representative of the crown and the imperial parliament to the Dominion of Canada shall govern their relationship to the Irish Free State.

Article 5. The Irish Free State shall assume liability for service of the public debt of the United Kingdom as existing at the date hereof, and for the payment of war pensions as existing on that date in such proportion as may be fair and equitable, having regard for any just claim on the part of Ireland by way of set-off or counter-claim, the amount of such sums being determined, in default of agreement, by the arbitration of one or more independent persons being citizens of the British Empire.

Imperial Forces Guard Sea.

Article 6. Until an arrangement has been made between the British and Irish governments whereby the Irish Free State undertakes her own coastal defense, defense by sea of Great Britain and Ireland shall be undertaken by His Majesty's imperial forces, but this shall not prevent the construction or maintenance by the government of the Irish Free state of such vessels as are necessary for the protection of the fisheries. The foregoing provisions of this article shall be reviewed at a conference of representatives of the British and Irish governents to be held at the expiration of five years from the date hereof with a view to the undertaking by Ireland of a share in her own coastal defense.

Article 7. The government of the Irish Free state shall afford His Majesty's imperial force: (A) in time of peace such harbor and other facilities as may from time to time be agreed between the British government and the government of the Irish Free state; and (B) in time of war or of strained relations with a foreign power such harbor and other facilities as the British government may require for the purpose of such defense, as aforesaid.

Article 8. With a view to securing observance of the principle of international limitation of armaments, if the government of the Irish Free state establishes and maintains a military defense, the establishment thereof shall not exceed in size such proportion of the military establishments maintained in Great Britain as that which the population of Ireland bears to the population of Great Britain.

Article 9. The ports of Great Britain and the Irish Free state shall be freely opened to ships on the payment of the customary port and other dues.

Article 10. The government of the Irish Free State agrees to pay fair compensation on terms not less favorable than those accorded by the act of 1920, to judges, officials, members of the police forces and other public servants, who are discharged by it or who retire in consequence of the change of government effected in pursuance of the hereof paragraph.

Provided that this agreement shall not apply to members of the auxiliary police force or persons recruited in Great Britain for the Royal Irish Constabulary during the two years preceeding the date hereof. The British government will assume responsibility for such compensation or pensions as may be payable to any of these except persons.

Article 11. Until the expiration of one month from the passing of the act of parliament for the ratification of this instrument, the powers of the parliament and government of the Irish Free State shall not be exercisable as respects Northern Ireland, and the provisions of the government of Ireland act of 1920 shall, so far as they relate to Northern Ireland, remain in full force and effect, and no election shall be held for the return of members to serve in the parliament of the Irish Free State for the constituencies of Northern Ireland unless a resolution is passed by both houses of parliament of Northern Ireland in favor of holding such elections before the end of said month.

Powers of Northern Parliament.

Article 12. If, before the expiration of said month an address is presented to His Majesty by both houses of parliament of Northern Ireland to that effect, the powers of the parliament and government of the Irish Free State shall no longer extend to Northern Ireland and the provisions of the government of Ireland act of 1920, (including those relating to the council of Ireland) shall, so far as they relate to Northern Ireland, continue to be full of force and effect, and this instrument shall have effect, subject to the necessary modifications.

Article 14. After the expiration of said month, if no such address as mentioned in Article 12 hereof is presented, the parliament of the government of Northern Ireland shall continue to exercise, as respects Northern Ireland, the powers conferred upon them by the government of Ireland act of 1920, but the parliament of the Irish Free State shall, in Northern Ireland, have, in relation to matters in respect of which the parliament of Northern Ireland has not the power to make laws under that act (including matters which under said act are within the jurisdiction of the council of Ireland), the same powers as in the rest of Ireland subject to such other provisions as may be agreed to.

Article 19. This instrument shall be submitted forthwith by His Majesty's government for the approval of parliament and by the Irish signatories to a meeting summoned for the purpose of electing members to sit in the house of commons of Southern Ireland, and, if approved, it shall be ratified by the necessary legislation.

Signed on behalf of the British delegation:

Lloyd George,
Austen Chamberlain,
Birkenhead,
Winston Churchill,
Worthington Evans,
Hamar Greenwood,
Gordon Hewart.

Signed on behalf of the Irish delegation:

Arthur Griffith,
Michael Collins,
Robert C. Barton,
Eamonn J. Duggan,
George Gavin Duffy.

Dated, the 6th of December, 1921.

GREAT CHRISTMAS GIFT TO HUMANITY, GLYNN'S VIEW

Albany, Dec. 6.—The part played by former Governor Martin H. Glynn of this city in arranging the conferences which led to the agreement in the Irish peace negotiations was disclosed by Mr. Glynn for the first time tonight.

Mr. Glynn said that while in London last April it was his good fortune to be honored by Premier Lloyd George in extending the invitation to Mr. DeValera to come to London and discuss a settlement of the Irish question.

"That invitation," said Mr. Glynn, "led to the meetings between the prime minister of England and President DeValera, which have brought about this settlement.

"My work on the matter started in Rome in a meeting with Bishop Mannix of Australia and others. Bishop worked together there. Archbishop Mannix and I also were in London and Hayes of New York did great work for the cause in Rome. Some day I will write the details of the mission but now is not the time; but this time I will say: Through me Lloyd George invited DeValera to come to London and try to settle the Irish question without exacting promises or making conditions.

"He said that if DeValera would accept the invitation on these terms the Irish question could be settled not in one meeting but in a series of meetings. DeValera accepted and it turned out that Lloyd George was right. The prime minister held that a series of conferences would lead to a settlement without Ireland going out of the British Empire and yet taking her place among the nations of the world. Lloyd George told me that the ambition of his life was to settle the Irish question with the same pen with which he signed the armistice. England has done a just thing and the Irish people, through their leaders, have won a glorious victory.

"Lloyd George has settled a problem that has baffled statesmen for 700 years. And in all justice to the Irish leaders it must be admitted that DeValera, Collins and Griffith have placed themselves among the clever statesmen of the world. The settlement of the Irish question is a great Christmas gift to humanity."

HUNDRED REPORTED DEAD IN NEW GERMAN DISASTER

(By the Associated Press)

Berlin, Dec. 6. — It is reported that 100 persons lost their lives today as the result of an explosion of an oil tank in the Nobel dynamite works at Saarlouis, Rhenish Prussia.

The works are burning

FORMER TURK VIZER DEAD.

Rome, Dec. 6—Former Turkish Grand Vizer Said Ali Pasha was fatally shot today while he was taking a walk through the city. He was rushed to a hospital, but was dead when the ambulance arrived. His assailant has not been apprehended.

JESS WILLARD MOVES.

Lawrence, Kansas, Dec. 6. — Jess Willard, former heavyweight champion, today sold his Lawrence home. He will move to California.

An Anglo-Jap Alliance

Mrs. Kasushi Taji, wife of the naval technical expert of the Japanese disarmament delegation, snapped in Washington with her happy children, John Hamilton, 4, and Yurie, 2. Mrs Taji was Miss Ethel Thomas of London and met Taji when he was studying at the Greenwich Naval College.

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MARKET IS FAIRLY ACTIVE AND BROAD

Favorable Developments, Including President's Message, Fail to Stimulate Public Support

New York, Dec. 6.—The stock market was fairly active and broad again today, but the only shares to display consistent strength were those favored by technical conditions, namely an extensive short interest.

Favorable developments, such as President Harding's message to congress and the strength of foreign exchange, failed to stimulate public support but impelled considerable short covering in the later dealings.

One feature of the President's message which seemed to cause disappointment was his qualified reference to the country's merchant marine. Shippings reacted sharply, Mercantile Marine preferred being under marked pressure.

Declaration of regular dividends by numerous industrial companies, including American Car and Foundry, and payment of several deferred dividends indicated more hopeful trade prospects.

Motors, rubbers, oils, chemicals and merchandising and utility issues featured the constructive side at extreme gains of one to six points. Rails lagged until wel toward the finish, when Lehigh Valley became the center of interest.

Steels, equipments and leathers were moderately reactionary.

Further realising sales accounted for the irregular tone of the bond market, that condition applying especially to Liberty and Victory issues. Rails reacted to the heavy trend of Pennsylvania and St. Paul issues and internationals were less active than at any recent period.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Allis Chal	37⅞	38⅛	37⅛	38
Am Ag Ch	30⅞	31⅛	30⅞	31⅛
Am B S	29	29	28⅞	29
Am Ice	75½	75½	75½	75½
Am Can	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
A C and F	145½	146	145	146
Burns B	114¾	116	114¾	116
Am Inter	42⅛	42⅛	41⅛	41⅛
Am Tob	135½	136	134½	135¾
Am Loco	99¾	99¾	98⅞	99¼
Am S F	34	34⅛	34	34¼
Am Smelt	43¾	43¾	43⅛	43⅝
Am Sug	54¼	55¼	53⅞	55
A T and T	34	34⅛	34	34⅛
Am Sum	32½	33⅞	32½	32½
Am Wool	80¾	81⅝	80¼	81
Anaconda	46⅛	46¾	46⅛	46¾
A G and W I	32⅞	32⅞	31⅛	31¼
Atchison	89¼	89¾	89¼	89¾
Bald Loco	95⅛	95⅞	92⅞	94⅞
Balt and O	37⅛	37¼	36⅞	37
Beth S B	57	57⅛	56⅞	57
B R T	7	7	7	7
Butte and S	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛	17⅛
Cal Pet	44¼	44⅞	44	44
Can Pac	118¾	119¼	118	119¼
C de Pasco	34⅛	34⅛	34	34
Cen Leath	30¼	31	30	31
Ches and O	57⅛	57⅛	57	57
C M and S P	21¼	22⅛	21⅛	22⅛
Chan Mo	49	50⅞	49	50¼
Chino	27⅛	27⅛	27	27⅛
Chile	12⅞	12⅞	12¼	12¼
Cosden	33⅛	34⅛	33⅛	33¾
Col Gas	64⅛	64⅛	64	64⅛
Col Grap	3⅞	4⅛	3⅞	4⅛
Corn Prod	89	89⅛	89	89
Crucible St	64⅛	65⅞	64¼	65⅞
Cuba Can S	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞
Hask Bark	81	81	81	81
End John	76⅞	79	76⅞	78⅛
Erie	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞	11⅞
Famous Pl	69¾	72	69	72
Fisk Tire	10¾	11	10¾	11
Gen Elec	142	143¼	142	143⅛
Gen Mo	11	11⅛	11	11¼
Goodrich	35	36⅛	35	36⅛
Gt Nor pfd	76⅞	77	76⅞	77⅛
do ore ct	32⅞	33	32⅞	32¾
Gen Asphal	66⅛	66⅛	65⅞	66⅛
Ins Cop	37⅞	38	37⅞	37⅞
Hupp Mo	11¾	12⅛	11⅞	12
Houst Oil	81	81	79⅞	79⅞
Int Con	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
do pfd	4¼	4¼	4	4
Int Pap	52⅞	53⅛	52¼	53
I M M	16	16⅛	15⅞	15⅞
do pfd	67¾	67¾	66	66¼
Invincible	12¼	12⅞	12⅛	12⅞
In Nickel	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛	11⅛
K C South	24⅛	24¼	24⅛	24¼
Kily S Tire	43¼	44⅛	43	44
Ken Cop	25⅞	25⅞	25¼	25¼
Keystone	9⅞	10¼	9⅞	10¼
Lk Steel	47¼	47⅛	46⅞	46⅞
Lhigh V	58⅞	60	58⅛	59¾
Mex Ptr	112⅞	113	111⅛	112¼
Midvale	27⅞	28¼	27⅞	28
Miami	25⅛	26	25⅞	25⅞
Mo Pac	18⅞	19	18⅞	18⅞
M S Oil	15¼	15⅞	15	15¼
No Am	45	46	45	45⅞
Pullman	110	110	108⅞	109
N Y Cent	74⅛	74⅛	74	74
N Y N H	13⅞	13⅛	12⅞	13¼
Nev Con	14⅛	14⅛	13⅞	13⅞
Nf and W	98⅞	98⅞	97⅞	97⅞
No Am	81¼	81⅞	80⅞	80⅞
Pac Oil	45¼	45¼	45	45⅛
Pan Am Ptr	51⅞	51⅞	51⅛	51⅛
Penn	34⅛	34⅛	33⅞	33⅞
Pan Am Pt	47¼	47¼	46⅞	46⅞
Peo Gas	56	56¼	56	56¼
Pierce Oil	13	13⅛	12⅞	13
Pierce Ar	15	15⅞	14⅞	15¼
Pitt W Va	27⅞	27⅞	26⅞	27
P S Car	67¼	67⅞	67¼	67⅞
Pure Oil	37¼	37⅞	37⅛	37⅛
Ray Con	14⅞	14⅞	14⅛	14⅛
Reading	72⅞	72⅞	72	72¼
Rep I S	54⅛	54⅛	53¼	53¼
Rk Island	33⅞	33¾	32¼	32¾
Ry Du N Y	48¾	49	48¼	48⅛
Sin Oil	22¾	22¾	22⅛	22⅛
So Pac	80¼	80¼	79¾	80¼
So Ry	19¾	19¾	19¼	19¼
S O N J pfd	112⅛	112⅞	112⅛	112⅞
Studker	78⅛	81⅞	78⅛	81⅞
St L Sa Fr	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞	22⅞
Sears R	54⅞	57¼	54⅛	57
Tex Coal	29⅛	29⅛	28⅞	28⅞
Tex Co	45⅞	45⅞	45	45¼
Tex Pac	24	24¼	24	24¼
Tob Prod	59¼	60¼	59¼	59⅞
Trans Oil	13	12	11	11⅞
Union Pac	125⅞	127	125¼	127
Uni Re S	53	53⅞	52¼	52¼
U S I Alco	37	37	36⅞	37
U S Food	11	11	11	11
U S Rub	52⅞	55	52⅞	55
U S Steel	83¾	84¼	83⅞	84
Utah Cop	59⅞	59⅞	59¼	59⅞
Vandm	34⅛	34⅛	33	33
Va Chem	28⅞	30	28⅞	30
Vivdu	7¼	7¼	7¼	7¼
Wabash	7	7⅛	7	7⅛
do pfd a	21	21⅛	21	21
Westhse	49	49¼	49	49¼
Un Drug	70⅞	70⅞	70¼	70¼
Willys-O	5⅞	6¼	5⅞	6
W U Tel	91¼	91¼	91	91
Uni Oil	20	20¼	19⅞	19¾

New York Produce.

Butter — Unsettled; receipts, 10,684; creameyr, higher than extra, 45½@46; creamery, extras, (92 score), 45; creamery, firsts, (88 to 91 score), 38@44; state diary, finest, 43@44; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 29.

Eggs — Steady; receipts, 10,863; nearby and nearby western hennery whites, firsts to average extras, 67@75; refrigerator, special marks, fancy unquoted; do. firsts, 40@42; others unchanged.

Cheese—Steady and unchanged; receipts, 2,322.

New York Poultry.

Live poultry—steady; chickens, 25; fowls, 24@28; turkeys, 25@42.

Dressed—Steady; western chickens, 26@44; turkeys, 48@51.

New York Meats.

Cattle—Receipts, 525; no trading.

Calves—Receipts, 1,560; easy; veals, $7.50@13.75; culls, $6@7; western, $6.75@8.

Sheep and Lambs—receipts, 4,320; steady; ewes, $3@4.50; culls, $2@2.50; yearlings, $6@7; lambs, $8@12; culls, $6@7.

Hogs—Receipts, 3,250; steady; light to medium weights, $8; heavy hogs, $7.50@7.75; roughs, $5.75@6.

Chicago Grain.

	Open	High	Low	Close
WHEAT—				
Dec.	112⅛	112⅜	109⅝	109⅞
May	115	115⅞	112¼	112¼
CORN—				
Dec.	48	48	46¾	46¾
May	54	54	53¼	53¼
OATS—				
Dec.	32⅛	32⅜	32	32
May	38¼	38⅜	37¾	37¾

ONEONTA MARKET.

Grain and Feed at Retail.

Wheat, bran	$1.67
Buckwheat, cwt.	$2.00
Oats, per bu.	.56
Ground oats	$1.73
Poultry grains	$2.15
Gluten feed	$2.31
Corn meal, cwt.	$1.51
Cracked corn, cwt.	$1.51
Corn, per bu. old	.81
Table meal	$4.50
Corn and oats	$1.62

The co-partnership heretofore existing between Albert R. Silliman and Alfred Sutch is hereby dissolved by mutual consent. Said Albert R. Silliman succeeds to the business and the name, "The Square Deal Farm Agency." advt. 3t

Join dancing class for beginners, every Wednesday, Dreamland hall. advt. 2t

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Tom, the Prince

Tom Meighan appears to be the "prince" of the screen. He was starred in "The Prince Chap" and his latest film is "A Prince There Was."

Y. M. C. A. TOURNAMENT.

Cubs Still in Lead, But Braves Tie Giants for Second Position.

The past week brought practically no changes in the standings of the Y. M. C. A. bowling tournament, the Cubs continuing to have a firm grasp at the top of the percentage column. The Braves are advancing, however, and have tied the Giants for second place. The contest between those two teams will be watched closely this week. The Giants made a good start by taking three straight from the Indians last night.

The teams holding the first five positions in the percentage column follow:

	Gms.	Won	Lost	Pct.
Cubs	21	16	5	.762
Giants	18	12	6	.667
Braves	18	12	6	.667
Pirates	18	10	8	.556
Indians	18	9	9	.500
Red Sox	21	11	10	.429

The individual averages of the 15 highest men in the tournament follow: Thomas 184, Lambros 183, Vivyan 181, Beckstedt 178, Babbitt 177, Forner 176, Bresee 172, McKean 172, Latlin 171, Shaw, 170, Graves 169, Westcott 167, Hotaling 167, Skinner 166, Pedrone 166.

The tournament records for individuals and teams remained unchanged.

Monday Night's Scores.

The pins fell fine Monday night, strikes being the rule and not the exception, and as a result the Giants took all three games from the Indians by substantial margins. R. B. Hotaling was the honor man of the evening, with a total of 591. Read the excellent showing:

GIANTS

Beckstedt	184	183	180—547
Tucker	143	100	141—384
Hotaling	207	193	191—591
Molinari	177	154	169—500
Shaw	167	168	188—523
Totals	878	798	869—2545

INDIANS

Lambros	179	183	181—543
Davidson	119	154	125—398
Bump	194	150	146—490
Hulbert	106	164	220—490
Merchant	142	142	179—463
Totals	740	793	851—2384

Wanderers Win at Delhi.

The Wanderers defeated the Emeralds of Delhi at basketball at the opera house in that village last evening by the score of 47 to 18, by the same score that Colgate defeated the Wanderers in Oneonta last Saturday night. There was a good sized crowd present to cheer the Delaware boys, but remained to admire the fine playing of the visitors.

When you see fine linen, beautiful glass and handsome silverware in the dining room, you may wager that you will find Otsego coffee in the pantry. advt. 6t

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★Monte Blue — Wanda Hawley★
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Otsego County News

IN THE BUTTERNUT VALLEY.

Percy Gould Installs Wireless System at Home in Morris.

Morris, Dec. 6. — Percy Gould, who lives in the Wing house next to the town hall, on Main street, has recently installed in his residence a wireless telephone and now each evening he hears concerts given in Pittsburg, Pa., Newark, N. J., and other places. He also hears addresses, the latest news, stock quotations, and sometimes he hears whole church services, sermons, music and all. It beats the phonograph.

Week in Cooperstown.

Mrs. Chester T. Backus spent the past week in Cooperstown with her husband, Supervisor Backus, who is attending the session of the Board of Supervisors.

Buys Property.

S. A. Monroe purchased last week the small building next to Sloan's hardware store of Mrs. Franklin Yates, which he has occupied the past few years for his business of painter, paperhanger and boot and shoe repair shop.

Entertained at Five Hundred.

Mrs. F. C. Card entertained a few of her lady friends at Five Hundred Tuesday evening. An enjoyable time was had by those present.

Woman's Auxiliary.

The Woman's auxiliary of Zion church held its December meeting last Friday afternoon in the Parish house. Papers were read by Mrs. Charles Lawrence and Mrs. George Whitman. A committee composed of Mrs. Merrit Bridges, Mrs. Stanley Carpenter, Mrs. Percy Gould, Mrs. Burn Phelps, Mrs. H. M. Washbon furnished a good supper.

In the North Woods.

Last week Bert Leska, head machinist of the Linn Tractor corporation, was in Tupper Lake, repairing Linn tractors for a lumber firm up there who own tractors.

Accompanied Remains to Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Hopkins and son, Morris, and a friend from Woodhaven accompanied the remains of Mrs. Electa Bresee to Morris on Friday. They remained until Sunday before returning home.

Elect Wardens and Vestrymen.

At the annual meeting of the parish of Zion church, held last Tuesday forenoon, the following were elected: Wardens, G. Clayton Peck and George A. Yates; vestrymen, R. R. Ripley, G. G. Bowne, C. D. Carpenter, George Whitman, Howard A. Tanner, A. M. Welch, D. F. Wightman, Dr. Lewis R. Morris.

On the Sick List.

C. H. Lawrence, one of our hardware merchants, was confined to his bed and under the doctor's care the fore part of the week. We hope nothing serious will set in and he will be around again in a few days. His trouble is a very hard cold.

Merely Mentioned.

John Lenox of the Cornell Agricultural school was a visitor in Morris the last of the week. — Scott Lull is wiring his residence on East Main street for electricity. — Rev. L. A. Duren of Schenevus is assisting Rev. H. E. Brooks of the Methodist church in a series of meetings this week at different places about the town. — The Ladies' Aid society will hold their annual Christmas sale and dinner on Saturday of this week in the rooms vacated by the library in the Kenyon hotel building. — During the absence of Miss Grafton in New York her place as organist in the Episcopal church has been quite acceptably filled by John Ferrey of Oneonta.

AT SCHUYLER LAKE.

Paul Hendricke Given Birthday Party —Allen Stone Changes Location.

Schuyler Lake, Dec. 6.—Last Saturday evening, Paul Hendricke was given a surprise party in honor of his sixteenth birthday, which fell on Sunday. A very pleasant evening was spent with games, etc, after which delicious refreshments were served. The young host received many gifts from his young friends, who on departing wished him many more happy returns of the day and pronounced Paul an ideal host.

Y. P. S. C. E. Meeting.

The topic for the Y. P. S. C. E. for Sunday evening is "Points in the Pledge We Are Likely to Neglect." Leader Mrs. R. L. Holbrook.

Morris Entertainers Here.

The Morris Entertainers, Southern Medicine company, are in town this week giving shows in Bullion's hall.

Fayette Allen Moving Store.

Fayette Allen, who purchased the store recently occupied by the Masonic club on Main street, and who has been making extensive repairs to the interior as well as erecting an addition, is moving this week his stock of goods into the new store. He has been in business in the store he vacates for over 30 years and is one of the oldest merchants in town still doing business.

Leaves for South.

Mr. and Mrs. William Rose and John Lidell, in company with John Robinson and wife of Richfield Springs, left Monday for their winter homes in Orlando, Florida.

Localettes.

J. Clarke and family spent Sunday at Charles Stephenson's, at Oneonta. —Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Allen and son of Frankfort are spending the week at his home here. He is helping his father move his store.—Mr. and Mrs. Fred Roberts entertained his brother, Ben Roberts, and family and his mother and two sisters from Utica Sunday.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mercer spent Sunday at Utica, called there by the sudden death of her cousin, Fred Hotaling. They attended the funeral Tuesday.—Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Schaub and George Schaub and family, all of Utica, were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Olcott Fay.—Mrs. Grace Vincent of Oneonta spent Sunday with her mother, Mrs. Amelia Taylor.—Robert, little grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Chamberlain, has been quite ill at their home here threatened with pneumonia. He is better at this writing.—Mrs. Fayette Allen and Miss Frances Washburn were business callers at Cooperstown Monday and also visited Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Cloxton.—Mr. and Mrs. Charles McGraw are entertaining their daughter, Mrs. Agnes Piper, and daughter from Herkimer, for a few days.—Henry O. Eason has been ill.

WESTFORD WEEKLY.

Westford, Dec. 6. — Kenneth Williams of the United States navy is visiting his mother and brother here. — Daughters were born last week to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Roseboom and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pitcher. — Mrs. George Roberts is caring for Mrs. Roseboom and baby. — Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Jones and Kenneth Groff of Middlefield were in town Sunday. — Mr. and Mrs. Hunt and members of their family from Hartwick were guests Sunday of Mrs. Jane Hull. — One night last week the house owned and occupied by William Judkins and family was found to be on fire. Prompt action by the members of the family put out the fire after a hole had burned in the roof. — Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Wilbur and little daughter, Marjorie, were guests over the week-end of relatives in Middletown. —The body of Arthur Cossaart of Gloversville was brought here Monday and buried in the family plot in the village cemetery. Mr. Cossaart was a former resident of this place but moved to Gloversville many years ago, where he died of heart disease, aged 69 years.

MIDDLEFIELD EVENTS.

Middlefield, Dec. 6. — A chicken pie supper will be served in the Baptist church Friday evening. The public is invited. — Mrs. Fannie Stiles has returned home after a visit of several days with Cooperstown friends. — Mr. and Mrs. B. Hendricks and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hoy have purchased the Callin farm and are spending some time with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Burton, awaiting the arrival of their household goods. — Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hearn and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Tabor were business callers in Cooperstown Thursday.

Laurens Book Club.

Laurens, Dec. 6.—All those wishing to join the book club for another year please notify Mrs. S. C. Millard. Each one can designate their books.

ANNUAL MEETING

The Wilber National Bank of Oneonta, N. Y.
December 7, 1921.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank for the election of directors and inspectors of election for the ensuing year and for such other business as may properly come before such meeting will be held at the banking house, No. 237 Main street, on Tuesday, January 10, 1922, at 1 o'clock p. m.

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Delaware County News

DELHI AND THEREABOUTS

Bloomville Woman Undergoes Operation—Congressman's Wife Home.

Delhi, Dec. 6. — Mrs. George Avery of Bloomville underwent a serious surgical operation at the Delhi hospital Saturday morning. The surgeons were Dr. Latcher of Oneonta and Dr. Goodrich and Dr. Ormiston of Delhi. The attending nurse is Miss Grace Allen.

Mrs. Clarke at "Arbor Hill."

Mrs. John D. Clarke of Washington, D. C., wife of our congressman, is at her Delhi home, "Arbor Hill," until after Christmas. Congressman Clarke and their son, Jack, will join her here for the holiday season.

Deaths.

Mrs. Lura A. Brant, wife of Thomas Brant, died at her home in Hamden Sunday night, aged 63 years. She had suffered from tuberculosis for some years. Funeral on Wednesday, December 7th.

Mrs. Abram Bullis, who had been ill for many weeks, died at her home here Saturday night. Her son from Middletown arrived Monday morning to make arrangements for the funeral.

Farewell Banquet.

The banquet tendered A. B. Brigham at the Edgerton house Thursday evening was largely attended by the employes of the various plants of Ayer & McKinney. After the sumptuous spread had been disposed of after dinner speaking was in order and this opportunity was embraced by a number. From the generous applause given the different speakers there is no question but that the speeches were up to the standard.

Birth.

Born, at the home of the maternal grandparents in Washingtonville, November 30th, a son, Donald Ainslie, to Mr. and Mrs. Donald A. Douglas. Mr. and Mrs. Douglas are well known in Delhi, where many relatives reside.

Mrs. Maxwell Laid to Rest.

The death of Mrs. Adam O. Maxwell occurred at her home on Thursday evening after a long and painful illness. She left surviving, her husband, two children, Mrs. Edward Russell of this village and Grant Maxwell, also of this town, and a sister, Mrs. Olive Benedict. The funeral services were conducted by her pastor, Rev W. C. Robinson.

DAVENPORT CENTER COMMENT.

Baird and Simmons Families Week-End Guests at Slingerlands.

Davenport Center, Dec. 6. — Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Baird and son, Duane, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Simmons motored to Slingerlands Friday, where they spent the week-end with Jesse M. Cornell and family. Mr. Cornell was formerly employed in the feed business at Davenport Center. Mr. and Mrs. Simmons and Duane Baird also visited Albany before returning home. Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Stebbins looked after Mr. Baird's work while they were away.

Personal Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. I. E. May were guests of friends in Kingston from Thursday until Saturday. — Mrs. Homer Redfield is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fred TenBrock, at South Worcester. — Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Blencoe attended the funeral of Mr. Blencoe's sister at Middlefield Friday.

To Correct Annoying Reports.

To correct the annoying reports among my older and out of town patients, that I am soon to leave Oneonta not to return will state that I intend leaving soon after the holidays for a few weeks trip south and west prospecting for an all year climate which may induce us to locate there permanently. As usual my work will be confined to office practice and persons suffering with eye strain, nervous or digestive troubles, and in doubt whether glasses will relieve such or not may have teh benefit of my 30 years experience giving special attention to diseases of the eye, ear, throat, digestion and nervous affections. Glasses when needed. Dr. J. P. Elliott, 35 Dietz street, Oneonta, N. Y. advt. tf.

Here are three bargains in houses at West End:

No 1—Seven room, $3,400; cash payment $1,000.

No 2—Six room, $3,400; cash payment $800.

No 3—Six room, $2,500; cash payment $200.

Square Deal Farm agency, 139 Main street. Phone 649-W. advt. 3t

Just arrived this morning from St. Lawrence county with a carload of nice black and white cows. All nearby springers. Will sell the coming week at private sale. F. H. Bouton, 82 Dietz street. advt tf

CORONER GETMAN REPORTS

Only Brief Session of Board of Supervisors Yesterday—Over $53,000 Appropriated for Richfield Springs-Winfield Road.

Cooperstown, Dec. 6.—The board of supervisors met at 8:30 this morning. The routine took up but little time and the meeting was quickly adjourned to allow members to attend the Farm Bureau meeting at Oneonta.

A petition was presented for levy and assessment against the taxable property of the town of Roseboom to the amount of $400 for defraying highway expenses.

Messrs. Whipple, Locke and R. G. McRorie offered a resolution to the effect that an appropriation of $53,812.20 be made to pay half of the construction expenses on road No. 1403 between Richfield Springs and Winfield, the state paying a similar amount. The resolution was put to vote and resulted in 24 ayes, the total number of those present.

The report of Coroner Norman W. Getman, as given yesterday follows:

Arthur H. Lape, Oneonta city—accidental, crushed on machine shaft.

Emmett Pratt, Hartwick—suicidal, by shooting.

John Walter, Laurens — chronic nephritis.

Mary Southworth, Laurens—suicidal, by hanging.

Clestia C. Maxim, Oneonta city—valvular heart disease.

Maria J. Swart, Oneonta city—cerebral hemorrhage.

George Belden, Butternuts—angina pectoris.

Arthur F. Dykman, Oneonta city—accidental drowning.

Frank Kostal, Oneonta city—cerebral hemorrhage.

Dustin W. Whitney, Milford—valvular heart disease.

Florence Clark, Oneonta—accidental drowning.

Minerva F. Stevens, Oneonta city—Valvular heart disease.

John C. Ingalls, Otego—cerebral hemorrhage.

Alphonso Regeno, Worcester—homicide, blow on head from club.

Addie Briggs, Laurnes—accidental, struck by lightning.

Mike Fedson, Oneonta city—accidental, struck by lightning.

Clarence Stringer, Oneonta city—accidental, drowning.

Charles G. Redding, Oneonta city—valvular heart disease.

Grover Cook, Oneonta city—cause unknown.

Delbert R. Decker, Oneonta city—accidental, struck by motorcycle.

Harvey H. Hand, Laurens—arterio sclerosis.

William W. Darbee, Oneonta city—chronic myocarditis.

Darwin R. Bailey, Oneonta city—accidental, crushed by railroad train.

George W. Sherman, Otego—accidental, struck by railroad train.

Supplemental report for year 1920 not heretofore reported was also included.

John Skinner, Unadilla—accidental, struck by railroad train.

Daniel Luce, Oneonta city—angina pectoris.

Isabelle M. Brown, Oneonta—malnutrition.

Robert S. Wynne, Oneonta city—accidental, crushed by railroad train.

Clarence G. Riggs, Milford—accidental, crushed by falling tree.

Gennett Elindorf, Oneonta city—malnutrition.

Ella Tugle, Oneonta city—valvular heart disease.

Henry J. Flaherty, Oneonta—accidental, crushed by railroad train.

The Joyce stores, Unadilla, N. Y. are running a special sale, Dec. 1st to 15th. We have wonderful bargains in rugs, reed furniture, over stuffed suites, mahogany rockers, brass beds, bedding and blankets, dining and bedroom suites, and chairs.

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Blood becomes feeble when there is a lack of red blood cells. Fatigue always causes the blood to collect waste matter from all parts of the body. In normal health, after a good sleep and a good nourishing meal the blood throws off the poisons and is restored to its normal condition. But when sleep is neglected and the waste matter from fatigue and overwork are not thrown off, the blood becomes weak and poisonous waste matter takes the place of red cells. Faces become pale, physical strength weakens, appetite is poor, and a phase of debility develops.

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TAKE NOTICE

That in accordance with section 198 of chapter 354 of the Laws of 1908, notice is hereby given that the last day of the redemption of the several parcels of land sold on the twenty-fourth day of December, 1919, by the chamberlain of the city of Oneonta, N. Y., for unpaid taxes will expire on the twenty-fourth day of December, 1921.

The several parcels of land sold at said sale and at this time unredeemed, are described as follows:

Central avenue. Description—Known as lots Nos. 159-160 of the Westcott, Manchester and Sanford plot, containing about ⅜ of an acre of land, more or less.

Central avenue. Description—Known as lot No. 158 of the Westcott, Manchester and Sanford plot, containing ¼ of an acre of land, more or less.

Monroe avenue. Description — Known as lot No. 23 Monroe avenue, of the Westcott, Manchester and Sanford plot, containing ⅛ of an acre of land, more or less.

South View street. Description—Known as vacant lot No. 69 of the Westcott, Manchester and Sanford plot, containing ½ of an acre of land, more or less.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS.

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COUNTY FARM ORGANIZATIONS

As is always the case Oneonta heartily welcomed the members of the County Farm Bureau and of the Home Bureau, which held their annual meetings in this city yesterday. It has always recognized the benefit of these organizations, not primarily to itself but to the county as a whole of which it forms a part. Time out of mind Otsego has had just pride in itself as a collection of communities largely agricultural, and far beyond the average as a county which has kept to the fore in every line of that industry which is the primary occupation of mankind. A few years ago, in furtherance of this purpose of local advancement, the Farm Bureau was organized, supplemented a little later by the Home Bureau, and both have accomplished much more for the industrial social and economic good of the county.

With these facts in mind it is a pleasure to know that at the Farm Bureau meeting held yesterday certain matters which had not been understood as a whole by the membership were explained, and that these explanations, once made, were in general whole-heartedly accepted. It was not unnatural that in so large an organization there should be differences of opinion, and it was entirely proper that these differences should be fully presented. Moreover such presentation gave opportunity for explanation and for a more definite understanding of the bureau policies, and the fact that by a large majority the amended constitution, consolidating the Bureau and County Improvement association, was adopted shows that the farmers of the county approve of the plan and will work zealously for it. Contrary to some hastily formed opinions, the policies of the two organizations were not inimical. The Improvement society was designed to work zealously along lines parallel with those of the bureau but which at that time and under then-existing regulations the Bureau could not undertake.

This difficulty has now been obviated, and since there is no longer need for the two, their consolidation is in line with a wise economic policy. Heretofore the Improvement society has made large appropriations for the Bureau itself and for Junior Project work, which is conceded to be one of the most important collateral lines. These appropriations can now be made more directly, and instead of the necessary larger overhead of two organizations the work can be efficiently conducted by one. To continue the two would therefore be poor economy. As for the obligations of the Improvement association, it was shown that they had practically all been made to assist the farm organizations. The union of the two will give the Farm Bureau a much larger membership, and should speedily wipe out this debt.

There is no need to disguise the fact that the coming year will be a crucial one in the history of the Farm bureau. There is necessity for enthusiastic work, for careful and judicious management and for economy as far as it can be practiced without endangering the welfare of the organization. All these things, there is no doubt will be borne in mind, and perhaps most of all by members of the former Improvement society, a continuance of whose membership is essential, and which is pledged. Moreover there is need for a genuine get-together spirit, which will forget differences and, ignoring the past, keep a face steadily toward the future.

There is one thing more. If there is any member of the bureau who does not believe he has had value received for his membership it is pertinent to ask if he has himself given to the organization the attention which he owed to it. After all, no member of this or any other order can merely pay his annual dues and consider his duty done. These sums of money merely maintain the machinery of the bureau. What the individual or communiyt gets out of it afterwards depends on him or itself. For an example the Junior Project work in the Butternut and Wharton valleys is an upstanding feature, known not only in Otsego county but throughout the state. There is probably not a person in these communities who is pessimistic as to the value of it, and this is true also in other sections of the county. But such results have not been attained merely by county agents or by appropriations of money. They are the result of concerted untiring and enthusiastic effort on the part of the people. What a community gets out of an undertaking depends almost entirely on how much of itself it puts into it.

Fair fortune therefore to the good ship Farm Bureau. It is splendidly officered, and its crew, which is the members, is composed of the best citizens of the county. May the success which has always marked its history, attend its voyage on the ocean of "1922!"

Shot by State Trooper.

Benjamin Wightman of West Exton is in the Norwich hospital suffering from a gunshot wound inflicted by a state trooper on Sunday night. Wightman had a cottage on Hatch's lake, and as there had been several cottages broken into he and his son were guarding their own. Other owners of cottages had sent for the state troopers and when they arrived they saw Wightman and his son in their own cottage and ordered them to come out. The Wightmans thinking the troopers were burglars, resisted vigorously, and in the melee several shots were discharged by the troopers, one striking the elder Wightman in the arm. An investigation is being made.

COMMENTS OF THE PRESS

Government by Proxy.

Mr. Mellon thought only a few days ago that he was bossing the customs division of his department. But when the Anti-Saloon league found that intoxicating beverages had been let through on payment of dues and without prohibition permits, matter was immediately taken out of his hands and is now administered by the league's agents in the capacity of the government. The same thing is likely to happen to the secretary when he begins to remove offensive enforcement officials. Wherever the Anti-Saloon league chooses to function, the duly constituted government of the United States is not the duly constituted government of the United States.—[New York World.

The Future of Prohibition

That prohibition under the Volstead act is mockery, that a sink hole of corruption is opened up at every sporadic attempt to apply the law with intensive zeal, is not to be explained away as due to circumstances inevitable in the transition period from wet to dry. If the law is to remain as it is we may as well prepare for an indefinite prolongation of the conditions which are bringing it into disrepute. Man has been free to indulge in fermented or distilled beverages from the time beyond memory when he discovered the benefit or pleasure to be derived from them. It is folly to suppose that the Volstead act will some day have made over human nature in the United States.—[Providence Journal.

Anti-Coughing Crusade

There is nothing like a clearing of the throat to relieve tension in dramatic moments, but boredom is also a potent cough producer. When interest lags in the theatre or in any public place there is usually a contagion of coughing. So long as playwrights and actors hold the interest of spectators there is little or no coughing. Movie audiences seldom cough. The fast moving picture holds the eye, and there is continuity of interest often lacking in dramatic performances. Perhaps the actors are suffering from a sub-conscious comparison between interesting pictures and stupid plays.—[Brooklyn Eagle.

People Show Interest.

There may be room for disagreement regarding the wisdom of the verdict given upon some of the amendments. The encouraging fact is that the voters took the trouble to examine the proposals submitted to them and by giving a real expression of opinion justified this popular referendum.—[Rochester Times-Union.

A Pertinent Query

To the man in the street unaccustomed to think in staggering sums of money the wonder will ever grow why it is that the nations which borrow ten billion dollars are so much more hard hit by the transaction than is the nation which lends the money.—[New York Herald.

Verbal Exchanges

London discounts Briand's speech and Paris discounts Lord Curzon's. That is the nature of foreign exchange and explains why statesmen from time to time have to get together and say things that will be taken at par.—[Springfield Republican.

FARMER POST ELECTS

All Officers Redesignated — One of Seven Posts Left in County.

At the annual meeting of E. D. Farmer post, G. A. R., held yesterday afternoon in the post rooms in this city, all the old officers were reelected as follows:

Commander—W. H. Brown
Senior Vice Com.—C. E. Morrison
Junior Vice Com.—Charles Peck
Officer of Day—Leonard Ward
Officer of Guard—Dewitt Barnes
Quartermaster—C. J. Westcott
Chaplain—William Field

Charles Peck was elected delegate and Leonard Ward alternate delegate to the state encampment.

The post, formerly one of the largest in Central New York, now has but 20 members, of whom 14—a good attendance—were present at the meeting. Of the former 13 posts in the county there are seven remaining—those at Oneonta, Cooperstown, Morris, Worcester, Richfield Springs, Gilbertsville and Laurens. Several of these are only nominally existent as they hold no meetings though their charters have not been surrendered.

PLANNING RECRUITING DRIVE

Officers of Tenth Regiment Confer With Officers of Company G.

Col. Charles L. Walsh, Major William H. Donner and Captain William J. Mangine all of Albany and officers of the Tenth regiment were in the city last night, conferring with Captain Jackson and other officers of Company G at the armory. Captain Mangine is making arrangements for a recruiting drive for Company G, which is to be held Dec. 22 and 23. This is following a plan which is general about the state to increase the enrollment in the membership of the Guard. There will be some interesting features of the drive which will later be announced.

Fire Around Elevator Machinery

A small blaze around the machinery for operating the elevator to the D. & H. offices in the basement of the Oneonta hotel building called the combination truck to the scene at 5.20 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The fire which was quickly extinguished caused slight damage to the fuse board and other electrical equipment. Its origin has not been ascertained.

The fire put the elevator temporarily out of commission but it is hoped to get it running again within a short time.

Moving Pictures at Schenevus.

On Friday evening, at the meeting of the Dairymen's league at Schenevus, the motion pictures presented at the meeting of the farm bureau here yesterday forwarded by the federal department of agriculture and designed to create interest in the eradication of tuberculosis, will be shown and it is hoped that there will be a large attendance.

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HIGH FORM OF DRAMATIC ART

Maude Scheerer Presents "He and She" at High School Auditorium—Everybody Pleased With Play and Its Interpreter

"The first visit is welcomed, the second tolerated," says Oliver Wendell Holmes in the introduction to "The Poet at the Breakfast Table." No such condition existed last evening when Maude Scheerer made her second appearance on the entertainment platform in Oneonta. A year ago this talented dramatic interpreter came for the first time to Oneonta. Last evening she appeared for the second time and not only was her reception more cordial, but, it is the testimony of those who heard her first, the verdict of the audience in her favor was on the later occasion even more enthusiastic. While a year ago the seats in the big High school auditorium were filled, last night they were overflowing, and all extra chairs available were needed to accommodate the audience.

At the entertainment of a year ago three striking short plays were presented, including Barrie's "Twelve Pound Look." Last night a longer production, a three-act play, "He and She" by Rachel Crothers, served as the vehicle for the art of one who was a member of the faculty of the Leland Powers school for five years, and who now, it can safely be affirmed, is in the first rank of dramatic readers in America. The play itself is not a sex play in the sense to which that term is coarsely applied, but it is such a play in that the relations of husband and wife to each other and to the home are clearly presented. It is in fact a story with a moral, but it is so deftly wrought, and with such regard to the nuances of dramatic art, that even in reading it would hold rapt attention.

To a town already predisposed in her favor, and with such a play, came Miss Sheerer to Oneonta for a second time. How well she succeeded in capturing and holding the attention of an audience which, while always sympathetic, is also conceded to be critical let any one tell who listened to her last evening. True it is that she had a just conception of literary values, but more than this she enters into the very spirit of each scene, interpreting the emotions of the several characters with a justice and fineness of expression and an understanding of the emotions of the passing moment which it would be difficult for any to surpass. The applause which greeted the end of each act must have been gratifying, but even more so the close attention which lost no fine inflection of the speaker's voice.

At the close of the play Miss Sheerer, in response to repeated recalls recited "My Ships," by Ella Wheeler Wilcox, a poem which formed a most fitting envoi, in a good old sense, to the play.

Not two visits to Oneonta are enough to sate the public demand for her work. That she will come again, and often, to the city was a wish expressed by practically everybody at the entertainment last evening.

COMMUNITY CLUB FORMED

Worcester Business and Professional Men Perfect Organization of Community Association.

An organization to be known as the Worcester Community association was formed following a dinner given Monday evening at the Central Hotel in Worcester in honor of George E. Bates of Albany, industrial agent of the D. and H., John Ablett, traveling industrial agent and M. V. Beckstedt of Oneonta divisional freight and passenger agent. Sixty-five prominent men of the village were present at the dinner and all were 100 per cent in favor of the formation of the association, which will have as its object the betterment of all things pertaining to Worcester village and the community surrounding it.

Following the hearty enjoyment of an excellent chicken dinner provided by the hotel Mr. Beckstedt was introduced and spoke most interestingly concerning the amount of freight shipped to and from Worcester. Mr. Ablett then gave an interesting paper on what has been done in other communities by organization work and what can be done along this line in any village or city. This was followed by a splendid talk from Mr. Bates who assured those present that in the formation of a Community association they would have the hearty co-operation of the Delaware & Hudson company which he stated desires to do all it can for the good of the communities through which the road passes. Mr. Bohlman of Atchison, Kansas, gave some very interesting figures as to what can be accomplished in this matter.

After the speeches the organization of the association was taken up. It was voted to call it the Worcester Community association and the following temporary officers were elected: President, A. L. Hamilton; Vice President, George B. Dunn; Secretary, P. M. Dunham; Treasurer, Van F. Wright. An executive committee was also named to draft by-laws, etc.

It is hoped to have the association fully organized and in working order by the first of the New Year. There was much enthusiasm displayed concerning the project and judging from plans discussed at the meeting the organization will soon make itself felt in the life of the community. The association is open to all men and women of the village.

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COUNTY PHYSICIANS MEET

Annual Meeting of Otsego County Medical Society Held Yesterday in Oneonta.

With 18 physicians from all parts of the county in attendance the annual meeting of the Otsego County Medical society was held at the supreme court chambers in this city yesterday. The sessions proved of unusual interest and instruction to the medical men.

At the morning session, which convened at 11 o'clock, the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Dr. S. C. Windsor of Schenevus; Vice President, Dr. Ray Champlain of Oneonta; Secretary, Dr. A. H. Brownell of Oneonta; Treasurer, Dr. E. L. Winsor of Laurens. The matter of health legislation was discussed and Dr. A. H. Brownell, Dr. Marshal Latcher and Dr. W. S. Cooke were chosen as a legislative committee. No specific health measures were indorsed by the society, the discussion being of a general nature.

Following a luncheon at the Windsor hotel, at which deserved justice was done to Host Swart's culinary offerings, the afternoon meeting convened. Dr. F. E. Bolt of Worcester gave the president's address, a technical although interesting discussion of medical problems and of the future of the profession in the county. Dr. Ray D. Champlin of this city gave a paper on "The Infant and Its Food," capably discussing the proper care of infants and the food values which they require for healthy growth. Dr. Morton E. Brownell read the last paper, taking as his subject "The Conservation of Vision." He discussed the philosophical aspects of medicine in relation to the treatment of eye diseases. Dr. Brownell urged a better understanding of the relation between eye troubles and diseases of other parts of the body and more effective cooperation between the various branches of the medical profession.

The semi-annual meeting of the society will be held at Cooperstown in June.

Former Chief Train Dispatcher

The Scranton Republican of Monday notes that Edward C. Knapp who died at the Lee Memorial hospital on Saturday morning was formerly chief train dispatcher on the Pennsylvania division of the D. & H., a position which he held until ill health necessitated his retirement a few years ago. He is survived by his parents and one son, Paul Knapp of Carbondale. The funeral was held yesterday afternoon.

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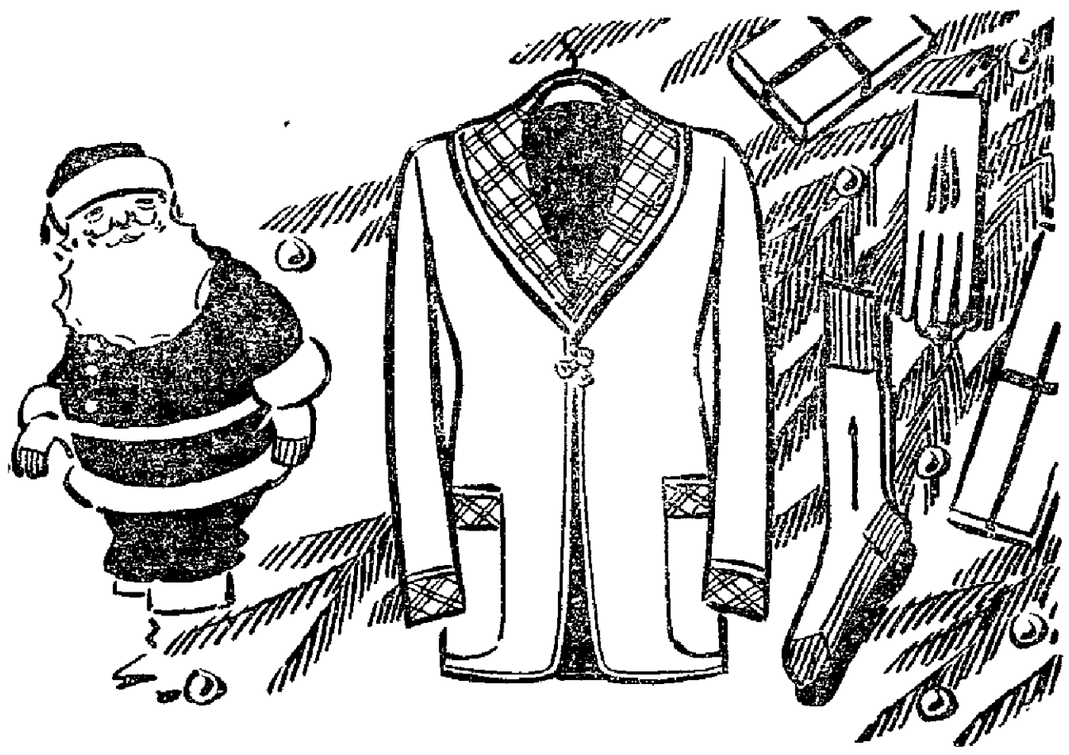

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LOCAL MENTION

—Members of the Fortnightly club will recall that the next meeting has been postponed to Wednesday of next week, at the home of Hon. A. L. Kellogg.

—An adjourned meeting of the Boosters' club will be held Friday evening at the Chamber of Commerce rooms, at which new officers will be elected.

PLEASING PROGRAM AT NORMAL

An Excellent Recital and Splendid Music for Students and Guests.

About one hundred townspeople journeyed to the Normal yesterday afternoon to enjoy the program of song and story which was announced in The Star yesterday. "Timothy's Quest," a book by Kate Douglas Wiggin, is in itself worth a far journey for it is a story of kindness and generous impulse and Christian sympathy. There is, also, in the book an abundance of native wit and wise sayings which make the reading profitable and pleasant. This is one book that everybody should read. The students who presented the various parts of the story deserve high praise for intelligent interpretation and distinct characterization. Shades of meaning and difference in character were made so well that the audience with increasing interest followed the story from beginning to end

The music was in keeping with this high hope of youth. Miss Rogers played with fine feeling Warren's "Song of the Brook." The second number was a vocal solo by Miss Virginia Morris who sang in beautiful voice "The Star" by Rogers and, Lieurance's "By the Waters of Minnetonka." A sextette which was trained by Miss Josephine Lauren, sang delightfully "Twilight Revel" by Ferraris. Then the Glee Club, under the direction of Miss Greene of the Normal faculty, rendered in faultless manner "What Can Lambkins Do" by Coleridge-Taylor. Miss Greene herself gave two superb numbers—"Bonnie Wee Thing" by Blum and "Thou Art the Night Wind" by Gaul. The whole school joined in the last number, "Darkey Lullaby" by Dvorak, which was splendidly rendered.

Meetings Today.

The Woman's auxiliary of St. James' church will meet this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock, with Mrs. H. M. Goldsmith, 83 Chestnut street, to sew for the fair.

The regular meeting of Royal Rebekah lodge No. 161, I. O. O. F. this evening, in Odd Fellow's temple at 7:30. Degree team please be present for drill.

Regular meeting Oneonta lodge, No. 1312, B. P. O. Elks, at 8 p. m., in B. R. T. hall

Rev. B. M. John's Sunday school class will hold a social in the church parlors this evening at 7:30.

The G. I. A. to the B. of L. E. will hold a social at the home of Sister Goddard, 5 Kearney street, Wednesday evening.

Regular monthly business meeting of the Ladies' guild of the Lutheran church will meet this evening at 8 o'clock with Mrs. A. Otto, 306 Chestnut street.

Members of the Protected Home circle are requested to meet at John Northrup's, 5 Center street, this afternoon at 12:30, to attend the funeral of Sister Frances Birdsall at the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. L. Pope, 62 Church street.

The Ladies' circle of the Main Street Baptist church will meet in the assembly at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon. Hostesses will be Mrs. Belfield, Mrs. Couse and Mrs. D. A. Smith.

Meeting Postponed.

Troop four of Boy Scouts will not meet this evening. he regualr meeting will be held on Friday evening.

Woman's Club.

The Choral class will meet tonight promptly at 7:30.

The Current Events class will meet at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Each member bring some item of interest.

Wallin An Nashin Teeth.

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Attention: Any persons wishing to obtain the real "Spirit of Christmas" may do so by presenting themselves at the First Methodist Episcopal church next Wednesday evening, Dec. 14, at 8 o'clock, where the Young Woman's Foreign Missionary society will endeavor to see that all get a share. advt. 1t.

For Sale.

202 acres, state road, near large village. High school, first class buildings, electric lights, 30 acres alfalfa, all level farm, 40 head of stock, four horses, machinery, crops. For sale at a bargain or will trade for city property. Campbell Bros. advt 1t

Don't forget the Eastern Star dance at Dreamland hall Friday evening, December 9. All Masons, Eastern Stars and their friends are invited. Admission, $1.10. advt 1t

REQUESTS TOTAL $164,858

CITY COMMISSIONS PRESENT BUDGET REQUESTS FOR 1922 TO COMMON COUNCIL.

Council Provides Additional $800 to Meet Fixed Charges of Police Department for December—Allied Trades Seek More Satisfactory Ambulance Service.

Were the various boards and commissions comprising the city government granted all that they ask in the way of budget provisions for 1922, it would require $164,858, according to the report made of their requests by City Clerk Close to the common council at its regular meeting last evening, at which Mayor Ceperley and Aldermen Clark, Coy, Lauren and Morris were present. Summarized by the clerk the needs are:

Police department	$17,000.00
Fire department	12,000.00
Parks	7,625.00
Public works	44,035.00
Health	7,475.00
Charity	655.00
General fund	31,450.00
Lighting	15,000.00
Water	2,000.00
Interest on bonds	7,210.11
Principal on bonds	20,408.33

The communication was referred to the finance committee and in accordance with the charter will be acted upon later. The income of the city, based on present valuations, will probably not be far from $100,000, though City Clerk Close will later submit an estimate of other incomes than the direct tax as a guide.

Ambulance Service.

There appeared before the council a delegation of citizens representing the allied trades uniting in purchasing the ambulance in use in the city and through J. J. Hurley and A. B. Cobb as spokesmen complained of the condition of the ambulance, of the service being given with it and requested if possible that arrangements be made for housing it at the Fox hospital, so that it would have the same driver continuously and that it, when called, could be accompanied by a nurse capable of administering at least first aid. Mr. Hurley spoke at some length emphasizing the importance of having it in condition at all times that life might thereby be saved. He said that recently it was unable to make hospital hill and that on another occasion three and one-half hourse were required to bring a patient from Unadilla.

Mayor Ceperley expressed surprise that the condition had not been brought to the attention of himself or the council sooner and stated that the control of the ambulance is in the hands of a joint committee composed of the council and representatives of the trades unions and that had a meeting of this joint committee been called at any time the trouble complained of could have been remedied, its action being required.

Upon the suggestion of Mayor Ceperley an early meeting of the joint committee will be held, at which conditions will be investigated and what can be done be ascertained.

Police Funds Provided.

Chairman E. W. Elmore and Arthur Seybolt of the police commission appeared before the council and urged action upon the request of that commission for an additional $800 to meet expenses for the current month. Mr. Seybolt called attention to the fact that the work of the commission cannot stop with safety and that emergency calls must be cared for. He expressed the realization of the commission that it should strive to keep within its budget, but he desired the council to consider that it cannot defer action until another year but must act at once in all cases. He cited the fact that at the last session of the grand jury there were 40 cases in which members of the police force were required as witnesses at Cooperstown. More days were lost by men absent from the force than all the overtime amounted to during the past year.

The council voted an additional $800 to the commission, Mr. Clark being excused from voting. The council also approved the action of the commission in making the salary of the police chief $1,680 annually commencing January 1 and in fixing the salary of the sergeant $125. The request of the commission that the force be increased by one permanent man was left on the table. Other minor matters received attention, after which the council adjourned.

Big Brush Factory Sends Permanent Representative to Be Stationed Here.

Samples of one hundred and three kinds of brushes for personal, household and hospital uses, made by the Philadelphia Brush company of Philadelphia, Pa., are carried by H. L. Miller, the permanent representative for Otsego county of this big manufacturing company, which has just begun to recognize the importance of this city as a distributing office.

H. L. Miller, formerly branch manager of the Schenectady office, who has been transferred to Oneonta to open up an office here, is at present making his headquarters at 17 High street and will employ several local men to act as Philadelphia Brush company representatives to call at each and every home to give away absolutely free to every housewife who desires one, a special sanitary brush as a sample of the quality of Philadelphia brushes. You are also entitled to a free demonstration of the uses of the various brushes. H. L. Miller, manager, 17 High street, City Phone 479-J. advt 1t

Auction Friday, Dec. 9, 1921

At the Main street Sales Stables, Oneonta N. Y. One Ford ton truck, worm drive and pneumatic tires, in good condition. One Ford touring car 1919 model. One Fairbanks gas engine, five horse power. One brood sow and five pigs. Three fresh grade Holstein cows and one fine Guernsey cow six years old. Two road horses and a number other good work horses. Other property as usual. H. W. Sheldon. advt. 3t.

There is none other into which such a high quality of ingredients are put as Baker's certified flavoring extracts. For sale at all grocers. advt. 6t.

Will exchange for Oneonta improved real estate, a 330 acre farm and a 100 acre farm. See Arthur M. Butts. advt. 3t

Copper, aluminum, granite, enameled and tinware at Fred M. Baker's hardware. advt 2t

For Sale—Hard maple wood. Todd's Cash market. Phone 19. advt tf

Fresh pig's liver, 15c per pound, at Kenney Bros. market advt. 1t.

CITIZENS VISIT SCHOOLS

Interest Shown in Observance of Know Your Schools Week — Dr. Johns Will Speak at High School Thursday—Program for Today.

At the invitation of the Board of Education issued in connection with the Know Your Schools Week observance, numerous citizens visited the public schools of the city Monday and Tuesday and all seem impressed with the educational facilities of Oneonta and with the use being made of them. No special preparations were made for the visitors, but the regular day by day work of the pupils proved of much interest to the parents and friends.

On Thursday morning, at 10:45 o'clock, a special program will be rendered in the High school auditorium. Rev. Dr. B. M. Johns will speak on his impressions of the arms conference, the opening sessions of which he attended. His recent talk on that subject at the Methodist church created such wide interest that it is probable that many will take advantage of this opportunity to hear him again discuss this most interesting and vitally important matter. At their recent meeting the directors of the Chamber of Commerce voted to attend this assembly in a body.

The following program outlines features which may prove of unusual interest to visitors today:

9:40 a. m.—Kindergarten and First Grade marching.
12:00—Serving pupils cocoa and milk in Domestic Science room.
1:00-4:00 p. m.—Eight Grade Manual Training (25 Grove St.)
1:15 p. m.—Eighth Grade Cookery.
2:15 p. m.—High School Sewing.
3:15-3:15 p. m.—Part Time School—General subjects.
4:00 p. m.—Rehearsal of High school pupils for Christmas program (auditorium).
7:00 p. m.—Basketball practice in gymnasium.
7:15 p. m.—Evening school.

CHRISTMAS SEALS MAILED

Health Stamps Sent to Nearly 7,000 Persons in County—Continuance of Tuberculosis Work Depends Upon Sale of Seals.

Letters containing Christmas seals have been mailed to nearly 7,000 persons in the county and all that remains to make the annual sale of the health stamps such a success that the anti-tuberculosis work planned for next year can be accomplished is the showing of a spirit of willingness on the part of all to help further this splendid movement. The work of stamping out the "White Plague" in Otsego county depends for its continuance upon the sale of Christmas seals and for that reason it is hoped that the campaign this year will be unusually successful.

The county quota is $5,700 and if that amount is raised the Tuberculosis committee will be able to continue its routine work of prevention and cure and the proposed summer camp or preventorium for delicate children from all parts of the county will be made a possibility. The drive in Oneonta will be centered against those who did not contribute to the Community chest. None of the contributors to that fund will be solicited and all who designated the Tuebrculosis committee for any of their subscription will be sent seals gratis

Attention!

Closing out millinery commencing Thursday, Dec. 8, I will place on sale 10 hats at 98c—former price of these hats was $3.50 to $5.00. 20 hats at $1.95—former price $5.00 to $8.00. Other hats that sold for $10 and above at $4.98. Mrs. G. D. Culver, Milford, N. Y. advt. 3t

SIXTH WARD CIVIC LEAGUE

Citizens of Sixth Ward Perfect Organization to Work for Betterment of That Section.

The organization of a citizens' association to be known as the Sixth Ward Civic league was accomplished at a very enthusiastic meeting of residents of that ward, held at the River Street school building Monday evening. The articles of organization were signed by 26 citizens interested in the welfare of that section and the list of charter members will be held open for two months to enable all who are interested to sign.

The purpose of the organization, as outlined at the meeting, is to promote the morals, health, safety and happiness of residents of the ward and to make the section a better and a more beautiful place to live in. Need for such an organization has been recognized for some time and several preliminary meetings have been held to discuss the project. Those in attendance were very enthusiastic over the organization of the league and feel that it will accomplish much good. An effort will be made to interest the foreign born residents of the ward in the movement to the end that the league be a truly representatly body.

The following temporary officers were elected:

President—H. E. Gassler.
Vice-President—John L. Palmer.

A secretary and treasurer will be elected at the next regular meting, the first Monday in January. An executive committee of nine members was named and they, together with the president, will draft a constitution and set of by-laws.

BUT TWO PARCELS SOLD.

Tax Sale Held to Collect $3.37 Back Assessments.

At the tax sale held in the city chamberlain's office Monday but two parcels were offered to bidders, the arrears on the other pieces of property advertised for sale having been paid. The parcel situated on Sherman street and known as lots number 1 and 2 of the Normal plot were sold to George Gibbs. The last known owner as shown by the assessment roll of 1921 was D. F. Keyes. The taxes in arrears amounted to $3.74.

The parcel located on upper Ford avenue and known as lot number 61 of the Lucerne Westcott plot was bid off to C. J. Forbes of 3 Brewer avenue. The last known owner was Elizabeth Purdy and the back taxes amounted to only sixty-three cents.

Little Falls Here Saturday.

Manager Crounse of the Oneonta Wanderers announces that the city's court representatives will meet the strong Little Falls community team at the armory on Saturday evening. The teams have met previously, the Wanderers getting the long end of a 23 to 18 score at the Mohawk Valley city on Thanksgiving night. Since that game the Little Falls team has been considerably strengthened and a lively battle is anticipated on Saturday evening. The Little Falls team is a strictly amateur organization but has been playing under professional rules. A compromise has been decided upon and amateur rules will be used in one-half of Saturday's game and professional rules in the other half. The Company G five will oppose a fast quintet in the preliminary contest. Dancing will follow the main go.

Important meeting of the Dairyman's league will be held Thursday night, Dec. 8, at league office, 179 Main street. All members are requested to be present. Claude A. Taylor, president of local branch. advt. 1t

Fresh pig's liver, 15c per pound, at Kenney Bros. market. advt. 1t.

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The Supreme Gift

Selecting the usual Christmas gifts—wearables, books, pictures, jewelery—will not trouble you. It is the one distinctive gift—that will make this year's total giving different from last years and those of previous years—that's the task which puzzles you.

Here is a suggestion. Adopt it and the matter will be settled—settled richly and satisfactory—and your Christmas shopping will have been made easy.

The usual gifts are seldom durable,—a few weeks or a few months and their usefulness or their value is gone. Nevertheless we must continue to give them—Christmas wouldn't be Christmas without them. The thing to do is to add the supreme gift!

And you would not be alone in doing it. Thousands and thousands of husbands and fathers in recent years have given this supreme gift. It has become a Christmas Custom, rapidly growing in observance as the years go by.

This describes it:—A document, handed to the wife on Christmas Day, under which she would receive a check for a stated amount each month of her life if you should be taken away. Christmas Day at home, guaranteed to her and your children as long as she lives—sure shelter for her and them—with the Christmas table and gifts;—sure education for the children; freedom from burden and care; all provided by the husband and father, just as he is doing it now; the supreme gift of this year's Christmas Day! It would make her happy, would it not?—would be one more indisputable proof of your loving care for her? And what peace of mind you would have in knowing that her future was assured — that every month regularly, a month's provision—which no one could take away—would come to her down to the latest month of the last year of her life.

This is the supreme gift. Can you find a better one to give distinction to this year's list of presents? Decide now and it will not take long to put the contract into your hands. "Do Your Christmas Shopping Early!"—and it will be done with and done well!

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DISTINGUISHED ODD FELLOW

E. C. Conway, Grand Master of New York State, Pays Official Visit to Centennial Lodge and P. P. Cooper Encampment.

The official visit of E. C. Conway of Albany, grand master of Odd Fellows of the state of New York, to Centennial lodge and P. P. Cooper encampment last evening was an affair long to be remembered by the more than 300 members of the order who were present from every lodge in this district. Following a brief session of the lodge, the meeting was thrown open to the public so that all might hear the address of the grand master. A goodly number of disinterested persons took advantage of the opportunity to hear the excellent remarks of Mr. Conway.

Mr. Conway arrived in city on the 5:10 train and was met at the station by a committee of local Odd Fellows and escorted to his hotel. He was later escorted to the hall by Canton David Wilber. The grand master was welcomed to the district by W. C. Gurney of Binghamton, grand high priest of the encampment of New York state; F. R. Wood, district deputy grand master for the Otsego district, and F. J. Joyce of Unadilla, a member of the board of managers of the New York state home of the grand lodge.

After the lodge had been closed the public was admitted to hear Mr. Conway's speech, which was, in the opinion of members of the order, the most eloquent ever delivered in Odd Fellows' temple. Mr. Conway spoke convincingly of the good which the order is accomplishing and outlined its nature and ideals. He stated that Odd Fellowship is numerically the largest fraternal order in the world and that its purpose is primarily to inculcate moral principles and incidentally to afford material relief. He said that it particularly caters to the south of the land. The keynote of Odd Fellowship is service to humanity and how well it has succeeded is attested by the fact that it has advanced in this state in its 103 years of existence to a membership of 150,000 men and 60,000 women.

Grand Master Conway was entertained while in the city by P. P. Cooper encampment, No. 112.

Oneonta Grange Elects.

At a regular meeting of Oneonta grange held in Odd Fellows' temple Monday evening the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Master—Philip M. Jencks.
Overseer—Lee Parish.
Lecturer—C. E. Thompson.
Steward—Lee Conser.
Assistant Steward—Herbert Mumford.
Chaplain—Miss Jennie Tyler.
Treasurer—Marvin Edmunds.
Secretary—C. A. Taylor.
Gate Keeper—Mrs. Burton Boyce.
Ceres—Mrs. C. A. Taylor.
Pomona—Mrs. Henry Kroon.
Flora—Mrs. Judd Robbins.
Lady Assistant Steward—Miss Alice Dye.

Ivy Court Hereafter.

Gile avenue, the thoroughfare running from Center to Spruce streets just west of Myrtle avenue, will be known as Ivy court in the future, a petition from residents on the street requesting the change in name having been approved at the regular semi-monthly meeting of the board of public works Monday evening.

A petition asking that a concrete sidewalk be laid on Main street below Chestnut, from the Reynolds block to the Baker block, was read and placed on file. The other business of the meeting consisted of an audit of bills and payrolls.

Given Reception.

On Monday evening the deaconesses of the Main Street Baptist church gave a reception at the church parlors to the members of the last division of the ladies of the church and the families of the division. About 75 people were in attendance, a pleasing program was given for the entertainment of the guests, and later delicious refreshments were served.

Men's Club First Presbyterian Church

Dr. A. W. Cutler will be the speaker at the December meeting to be held on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. He will tell us of his trip through Norway and Sweden. An evening of unusual pleasure is assured. Every man of the congregation is urged to be present.

Births.

Born, Monday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. Lee Sickler, of 46 Wilcox avenue, at the Wanna sanitarium, a 6¾-pound daughter, who has been named Bertha May.

Card of Thanks.

We wish to thank our many friends and neighbors for the flowers sent and kindness shown us during the bereavement of our mother and grandmother.

Ella Rathburn,
Mrs. C. L. Murry,
Belle Murry.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Ochanpaugh of Worcester were in Oneonta on business Tuesday.

Lester Banner of Taft avenue left Tuesday morning for New York where he will visit friends.

Theodore Anagnost of Herkimer is visiting friends and former business associates in the city.

M. F. Lenny, division superintendent of the D. & H., is confined to his home by a severe cold.

Mrs. A. P. Mills returned home last evening from Boston, where she had been visiting for some time.

Mrs. John Daly of 16 Cedar street is spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Catherine Brady, in Brooklyn.

Mrs. Ellen Iliffe left Monday evening for Denver, Colo., where she will spend the winter months with relatives.

Mrs. James Fitzgerald of 170 Cherry street is the guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. James Fitzgerald of Schenectady.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Mumford of Middlefield, who had been spending a few days with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Acker, 8 State street, left yesterday for a further sojourn with Albany relatives before returning home.

Mrs. I. R. McMullen of Unadilla underwent a serious operation yesterday at the Fox Memorial hospital, Dr. A. W. Cutler being the surgeon in charge. Her many friends will be glad to learn that she is resting comfortably.

George A. Roberts, general manager for the Hathaway circuit of theatres, who had been in the city for several days on matters of business in connection with the Oneonta theatre, left Monday evening for other parts of the circuit.

Four representatives and artists with the Redpath bureau, who had been in Delhi participating in the Winter Chautauqua, were in this city yesterday morning on their way to points east. They were Mrs. Winifred Cook, who was advance agent for the summer Chautauqua in Oneonta in 1920, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clemmons, who with their marionettes, were among the attractions in this city last summer; and Alton Packard, the well-known cartoonist, who was a summer attraction in the Oneonta course in 1916. All were enthusiastic in memory of Oneonta and hoped to visit the city again.

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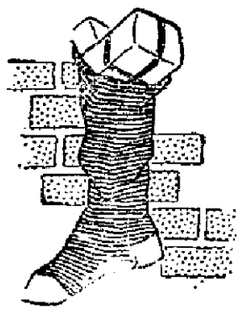

The Best Christmas Presents Go Into The Homes

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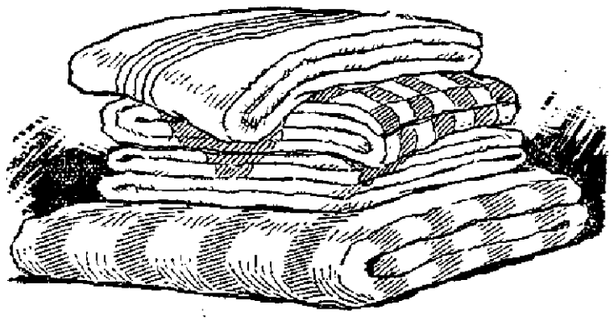
Decide on something that your whole family and their friends can enjoy.

Blankets



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Oregon Wool Auto Robes and Indian Blankets; just the thing for summer or winter, sleighing, canoeing, motoring, or any outdoor sport.

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FOR SALE

AUCTION—The undersigned, having disposed of his farm, located on Briar creek, between Otego and Wells Bridge, will sell at public auction Saturday, December 10, at 10 o'clock sharp: Two hogs, 100 White Leghorn pullets; nearly new Stromberger piano, drop head Singer sewing machine, three sap pans, birdseye maple bedroom suite, combination desk and bookcase, power washing machine, sideboard, two high boys, kitchen cabinet, Boston rocker, Glenwood range, round coal or wood heater, 240-egg Buckeye incubator, two oil heaters, carpets, rugs, beds, bedding, bedroom suites, chairs, leather beds, rockers, stands, lamps, dishes, vacuum sweeper, lawn swing, canned fruit, carpenter tools, lumber, and other things too numerous to mention. Come early, rain or shine. Lunch served. Terms cash. H. M. Howland.

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FOR SALE—One oak bedroom suite and one square eight-foot extension dining table. Phone 869-J.

FOR SALE—Cozy five-room bungalow, all improvements, hard wood floors, stationary tubs, large lot. Inquire 16 Madison avenue or 4 West End avenue.

FOR SALE—Heavy Singer sewing machine, most new; sell for half price; suitable for harness shop or auto repair shop for sewing curtains or a tailor; also Roo washer and wringer, most new. 19 Franklin street, Oneonta, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Holstein-Friesian bull calf, born Dec. 1, 1921, entitled to register, sired by one of the best sons of the century sire Pietertje Hengerveld Segis; dam unites the blood of many noted producers; straight and nicely marked, neatly white. Will be sold at a bargain if taken soon. I. J. Keyes, Mt. Vision, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Twenty tons baled hay. Inquire at the Wilson house.

FOR SALE—Cheap, nine-room house, all improvements, garage, extra lot. At West End on Chestnut street. Address Box 58, Otego, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Several fresh cows and nearby springers; also three good work horses, two second-hand sulky plows. F. W. Green, Milford Center, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Quantity of drygoods boxes, various sizes, in fine condition. Fowler Drygoods company.

FOR SALE—Registered Jersey heifers, 16 to 18 months old. E. S. Niles, Oneonta, R. D. 2.

FOR SALE—One new Colt automatic revolver. Address B. B., care Star.

AUCTION—Planning to leave farm located about half way between Laurens and West Laurens will sell at public auction on December 8 at 1 o'clock sharp: Two horses, four young cows, two sheets, 25 pullets about to lay, one good set trucks and box, two open buggies, one good top carriage, one cutter, one plow, reversible; one new harrow, one set heavy harness, two collars, two single harnesses, a good quantity of hay, straw, oats and potatoes, two incubators, 120 eggs. Claud Herring, Auctioneer. C. W. Pearsee.

FOR SALE—Cheap, one oak folding bed, with springs, plate glass mirror front. George W. Coller, West Oneonta. Phone No. 2-F21.

FOR SALE—Concrete house with large lot, 15 minutes' walk from Delhi; also Franklin trading car, new in September. Inquire Mrs. Elizabeth Clark, Admx., Delhi, N. Y.

FOR SALE—A quantity of seasoned slab wood. Inquire of Webb Lumber company, 188 Main street. Phone 457-J.

FOR SALE—Two December cows. Frank Dayton, Fergusonville, N. Y.

JUST ARRIVED from St. Lawrence with a carload of 30 St. Lawrence county heavy black and white cows, all nearby. Load includes nine pure breds. These will be on sale at my stable in Harpersfield Center beginning Thursday, Dec. 1. S. J. Tate.

FOR SALE—Antique china tea set, marble top table and wash stand. Phone 340-J2.

FOR SALE—Newly decorated, seven rooms, bath, furnace, electric light, $4,000. Seven rooms and bath, electric lights, barn, $3,400. Ten rooms and bath, all improvements, fine for Normal roomers, $6,000. Others. Oneonta Agency, Inc., 240 Main street. Phone 813-R.

FOR SALE, $4,000—Seven-room house, all improvements. Party wishes to leave town. Bargain. Forty-acre poultry farm, good buildings, 20 minutes from town, $3,500. Two cash grocery stores for sale. Judd & Sherman, Oneonta and Otego. Phone 1053-J2.

FOR SALE—Double house and barn on Prospect street, with all improvements. Inquire Joe Beung, 4 Fairview, Oneonta, N. Y.

GRAVEL FOR SALE—154 River street. Phone 241-M. T. S. Whiting.

FEW BUNDLES OLD PAPERS for sale, 10c each, at The Star office.

HOUSES FOR SALE—Modern, ten rooms and bath, large lot, central, owner leaving city, a very nice home, $6,500. New, seven rooms and bath bungalow, with improvements, garage, central, $4,600. Six rooms and bath cottage, improvements, central, $3,700. Seven rooms and bath bungalow, improvements, West End, $3,000. Eight

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rooms and bath, improvements, barn, chicken house, double lot, central, $4,000. Seven rooms and bath, Normal section, double lot, $3,000. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta.

FARMS FOR SALE

FARMS FOR SALE—River farm, 175 acres, 35 timber, worth $2,500 on stump, first class buildings, running spring water, fine location, 20 Holstein cows, milking machine, etc., $9,500. 70 acres river bottom flat land, no stone, good buildings, barn 40x88, hennery for 1,000 hens, estimated 150,000 feet hemlock, one-fourth mile off macadam, one and one-half miles High school, $7,000. 50 acres, ten timber, good buildings, running water, hennery for 500, on macadam, $3,500. Seven acres, garden land, good buildings, on macadam, two cows, hay, tools, $1,800. 62 acres, 12 timber, good location, fair buildings, five cows, two yearlings, team, tools, crops, $3,150. 140 acres flat land, on macadam, good buildings, best location, 35 Holstein cows, team, tools, crops, etc. Other farms. Charles N. Murdock, 7 Ford avenue, Oneonta, N. Y.

FOR SALE—250-acre farm, good eight-room house and a dandy barn, stanchions for 45 head. This sale includes 35 cows, two horses and all of the personal property for $8,750. Cash, $2,500, or will trade for city property. 135 acres, good house and barn, 15 cows, two horses, and all of the personal property, for $5,000, or will trade for house in the city. Square Deal Farm agency, 159 Main street.

FOR SALE—Farm, 275 acres, all equipped, 3 miles to village, two sets of buildings, lots of wood and timber, 32 head of cattle, four horses, milking machine and good buildings. Farm of 150 acres, 2½ miles from this city, good 11-room house, fair barn, good set of farming tools, 20 cows. Price $8,000. Cash $2,500. Would consider trade for city property. Alfred Smith, 33 Clinton street, Oneonta Real Estate Agency. Phone 1194-W.

FOR SALE—Farm, 40 acres, basement barn, good house, furnished including piano; fruit and berries, sugar bush, running water, some farm tools, one mile from state road, creamery, stores. Price, $2,200; $1,200 cash. Village farm, 100 acres, large basement barn, 20-room house, buildings in fine condition, 16 cows, team and all tools, on state road, running water in house and barn. 130-acre farm, basement barn, 36x48; seven-room house, buildings in fine condition, 27 cows, all tools, milking machine, one mile to town. Also 20 others, all prices, all sizes. For further information address Earl H. Simmons, Davenport Center, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Forty-acre farm within two miles of city on main road. Bargain. Square Deal Farm agency, 159 Main street.

FOR SALE—Chicken farm of three and one-half acre, seven-room house, barn, shop and garage, some fruit, 3 miles from high school; land lies level; price, $1,200; one-half cash. 115 acres, 12-room house, barn 36x88, on state road; price, $4,500; $800 cash. 225 acres, nearly new house and basement barn, nearly to school and creamery, $5,000. This is only a sample of the bargains we have to offer. If interested, call at Smith & Peaslee's, 120 Main street, over Reynolds Bookstore.

FOR SALE — The E. W. Hunt farm, located in the village of Treadwell, N. Y. Considered one of the best farms in Delaware county. The house has all modern improvements, electric-light, furnace, bath, etc. The stock and farming utensils will be sold with the property if desired. This property will be sold at a bargain. Call or address Dean & Bramley Co., Delhi, N. Y.

FURNISHED ROOMS

LARGE FURNISHED FRONT ROOM—To rent at 377 Main street. Phone 604-J.

THREE UNFURNISHED ROOMS—To rent. Phone 789-W2.

FURNISHED ROOM TO RENT—Modern improvements. Inquire 22 Pine street.

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DESIRABLE FURNISHED ROOM—To rent at 49 Spruce street.

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TO RENT—Four pleasant furnished rooms for light housekeeping, located at South Side. Mrs. M. J. Scott.

TO RENT—Two furnished front rooms at 2 East street. Suitable for one or two ladies or gentlemen.

DESIRABLE large front room, furnished, lights, heat and bath, first floor, outside entrance. 38 East street.

TO RENT—Room. 4 Maple street.

ROOM TO RENT—Pleasant corner room, modern conveniences, gentleman preferred. Call forenoons or evenings. 27 Ford avenue. Phone 682-W.

TO RENT—Few furnished rooms for housekeeping. Dr. J. P. Elliott.

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DESIRABLE FURNISHED ROOMS—Edson A. Hayward, 10 Elm street.

FOR RENT—Large furnished room. Call after 6 p. m. at 30 Prospect street.

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—December 6, at 4:30, between Oneonta Department store, F. & V. bakery and Oneonta hotel, a gray coney fur muff, with gray satin lining. Finder please return to Mildred Parshall, Cooperstown, or call Cooperstown portoffice. Liberal reward.

LOST—Monday, in Normal or between Normal and Department store by way of Dietz street, lower part of fountain pen. Finder kindly return to 66 East street.

LOST—Two men's coats, between Judd's store, North Franklin, and E. J. Barker's. Finder kindly notify E. J. Barker, North Franklin, N. Y.

LOST—Between Oneonta and Stamford, set of tire chains, size 32x4½. Finder kindly leave at Star office. Reward.

LOST—Between Oneonta and Worcester, November 26, one tire chain, 34x4½. Finder notify J. S. Waterman, Worcester.

ROOMS WANTED

WANTED—Three or four unfurnished rooms, centrally located, for adults. Phone 534-J.

ROOMS WANTED—By young couple, both working; centrally located, unfurnished. No children. Address Rooms, care Star.

WANTED—Four nicely furnished rooms in good locality. Address W. A. N., care Star.

WANTED—Three or four furnished rooms for light housekeeping, centrally located. Address L. P. B., care Star.

MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Old violin. Must be in good condition. V. N. Sherman, Otego, N. Y. Bell phone 21-R.

WANTED — Second-hand furniture, men's clothing, guns, stoves, rugs and carpets. 31 Broad street.

DR. O. C. TARBOX—18 Ford avenue, hours 1 to 4, 6 to 8. Sunday and other hours by appointment. Calls in country attended. Phone 668.

PIANO INSTRUCTION

PIANO LESSONS—Sixty cents per hour. Given by Misses Susan and Helen Doherty, 98 Ford avenue. Special attention given to beginners.

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HELP WANTED

WANTED—Couple. Man experienced with horses; wife to take charge of farm boarding house. Apply E. E. Gifford, Mgr., Glimmerglen farms, Cooperstown, N. Y. Phone 167-J.

WANTED—Reliable woman for general housework in small family. Good wages to right party. X., care Star.

WANTED—Middle-aged woman to assist with housework; family of three. Inquire M. L. Hawkins, 29 Pleasant avenue, car stop 6-A.

WANTED—Lady cook at the Wilson house.

WANTED—At once, dining room girl at the Wilson house.

WANTED—Capable woman for general housework for family of two. Reference required. Address Housework, care The Star.

WANTED—Stenographer and office assistant. Address in own writing, office care Star office.

WANTED—Girl to cook and do general housework in a family of two adults. Washings and ironings done out. Inquire of Mrs. Alva Seybolt, 18 Elm street, Oneonta, N. Y. Phone 559-J.

WANTED—Reliable man sell surums, trees, plants. Permanent, weekly pay. Write for terms. Gourauty Nursery Co., Rochester, N. Y.

TEACHERS WANTED—For schools. Good salaries. Contracts waiting. National Teachers agency, Philadelphia and Syracuse.

WORK WANTED

WANTED BY WIDOW—Position as housekeeper for well to do family or widower, in or near Oneonta, at once. Best of references. Address W. J., care Farmer paper, Cooperstown, N. Y.

WANTED—Cleaning and pressing, mending and plain sewing. Mrs. Reading, 65 West Broadway.

NOTICE—Having rented shop located at 49 Main street, will open same today for general blacksmithing, horse shoeing, wagon repairing, cabinet work and general repairing of all kinds. English-Holt & Mise.

WANTED—Work by the day, month or year, or would rent a farm with stock on shares. Inquire of LeGrand Palmater, Grasslands, Cooperstown, R. D. 3.

THOSE DESIRING to have their photographs or pictures hand colored call 2 Walnut street.

WOMAN—With two small children, would like position as housekeeper. Address C. B. B., care Star.

PAINTING—Paperhanging, auto painting, furniture refinished, repaired and upholstered. All work guaranteed. Will call for and deliver free of charge. Phone 566-W.

CHESTER M. MARTIN and Alfred A. Ritchie, public accountants and auditors, will open offices November 1, Liberty, N. Y., Green Bldg., and New York city, Vanderbilt avenue Bldg. Systems installed. Income tax returns. We solicit your business.

PAINTING OR PAPERHANGING — By hour or contract. Call 6 North Sixth street. Phone 88-J.

WANTED — Mason work. H. L. Smith, 13 East End avenue.

DOMESTIC NURSE—Experienced—Ready for a call at any time. Phone 261-W2.

LACE CURTAINS—Laundered at 92 Center street. Mrs. H. Kenyon. Phone 1024-W2.

FOR BAGGAGE TRANSFER and drawing ashes, also trucking of all kinds, call H. Bolles, 1068-J2.

WANTED—Mason work of all kinds. VanWoert & Thayer. Phone 893-J.

WANTED—First class painting to do. Prices right. VanWoert & Thayer. Phone 893-J.

WANTED — Pictures to frame. Ward's Art shop, 149 Main street.

BOARDERS WANTED.

BOARDERS WANTED—At 22 Dietz street. Gentlemen preferred.

WANTED—Two men to room and board, at 15 River street. Phone 889-J.

WE CAN ACCOMMODATE — Men with rooms, board and bath at 34 Cherry street. Phone 261-W2.

WANTED — Table boarders at 33 Maple street.

MONEY WANTED.

WANTED—$625 for a $700 second mortgage, first held by Building and Loan. Property one block from Oneonta hotel. Recommended by W. L. Scott. Address Mortgage, Star office.

SOUTHERN NEW YORK RAILWAY

Cars due to leave waiting room daily for Herkimer, New York Central and New York State connections to Utica as follows:

Leave Oneonta	Arrive Herkimer	Arrive Utica
8:05 a. m.	12:00 p. m.	1:00 p. m.
11:40 a. m.	3:35 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
2:10 p. m.	5:00 p. m.	6:00 p. m.
5:25 p. m.	8:10 p. m.	9:00 p. m.

Cars connect at Mohawk with following cars from Utica:

Leave Utica	Leave Herkimer	Arrive Oneonta
7:00 a. m.	8:00 a. m.	11:04 a. m.
10:00 a. m.	10:47 a. m.	1:50 p. m.
12:00 m.	1:00 p. m.	4:00 p. m.
3:00 p. m.	7:40 p. m.	9:35 p. m.

Car leaves Herkimer daily except Sunday at 6:45 p. m. for Hartwick only.

Sundays Only

7:30 p. m.	8:15 p. m.	10:54 p. m.

Fare, Oneonta to Utica, including tax, $3.25.

TIME TABLE OF ULSTER & DELAWARE R. R.

Effective October 23rd, 1921.

Trains are due to leave Oneonta as follows: 7:10 a. m. daily except Sunday; 1:30 p. m. daily. Trains are due to arrive as follows: 11:50 a. m. daily; 6:27 p. m. daily except Sunday.

Where Your Taxes Go

How Uncle Sam Spends Your Money in Conducting Your Business

By EDWARD G. LOWRY

Author "Washington Close-Ups," "Banks and Financial Systems," etc. Contributor Political and Economic Articles to Leading Periodicals and a Writer of Recognized Authority on the National Government's Business Methods.

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WHERE YOUR MONEY GOES

I am indebted to the late Dr. E. B. Rosa, of the United States bureau of standards, whose analyses of government expenditures I have already quoted in these articles, for the following comprehensive survey of how the taxes you pay to the government are apportioned in expenditures. It will give you the clearest and best idea of where your money goes. For his purpose Doctor Rosa took the actual appropriations for the fiscal year 1920, amounting to a total of $5,686,005,706, as given in the regular supply bills and three deficiency bills prior to May 1, 1920. For convenience he divided the purposes for which this money was spent into six groups as follows:

Group I.—Obligations arising from recent and previous wars, including interest on the public debt, pensions, war-risk insurance, rehabilitation and care of soldiers, deficit in the operation of railways, expenditures of the shipping board, European food relief and the bonus to government employees to cover partially the increased cost of living due to the war, a total of $3,855,482,586.

Group II.—War and Navy departments—expenses somewhat above a permanent peace-time basis—$1,424,136,677.

Group III.—Primary governmental functions, including congress, President and White House staff, courts and penal establishments, departments of justice, state, treasury, interior, commerce, labor, interstate commerce, and other commissions, one-half the District of Columbia, including all the necessary functions of government other than defense, except the commercial activities of Group V and the research, educational and developmental work of Group VI—$181,087,225.

Group IV.—Public works, including rivers and harbors, public buildings, reclamation service, post roads, national parks and railway in Alaska—$168,208,557.

Group V.—Commercial or self-supporting activities, including the post office, land office, Panama canal and housing corporation, which, taken together, earn their expenses.

Group VI.—Research, educational and developmental, including the wide range of work of the Agricultural department, geological survey, bureau of mines, coast and geodetic survey, bureau of standards, bureau of fisheries, bureau of foreign and domestic commerce, bureau of labor statistics, women's and children's bureaus, vocational education, colleges for agriculture and mechanic arts, library of congress, Smithsonian institution and the public health service—$57,003,661.

Total groups I to VI—$5,686,005,706.

Summary.		Per Cent
Group I—Expenditures arising from recent and previous wars	$3,855,482,586.60	67.81
Group II—War and Navy departments	1,424,136,676.67	25.02
Group III—Primary governmental functions	181,087,225.41	3.19
Group IV—Public works	168,208,557.46	2.97
Group VI—Research, educational and developmental	57,003,660.33	1.01
Total	$5,686,005,706.97	100.00

The first two groups together amount to 92.8 per cent of the total; public works amounts to 3 per cent, primary governmental functions 3.2 per cent, and research, educational and developmental work, 1 per cent. The population of the country being about 110,000,000, the total budget is about fifty dollars a year per capita, of which fifty cents a year per capita is expended for the wide range of research, educational and developmental work included in Group VI.

"That is, of the fifty dollars a year per capita collected for all purposes, a dollar and a half a year per capita," Doctor Rosa went on to point out, "was spent for what is here called primary functions of government; nearly as much more was put into public works, and fifty cents a year was put back into research, educational and developmental work, to promote scientific research, to increase production and efficiency, to develop wealth, to promote the public health and to conserve our natural resources. That is a very small part of the total—hardly enough to be regarded as a burden on the nation.

"Indeed, one is led to wonder whether the total burden of taxation would not be lighter if the expenditure for scientific and developmental work were increased; if, for example, it were one dollar a year per capita instead of fifty cents. In other words, if $110,000,000 were expended annually for this creative and productive work, would it not be easier to collect the five and a half billions for other purposes?"

The big money, of course, goes for war, past, present and future, and that is where the saving must be made.

Twenty-Toed Elephants in Demand.

Twenty-toed elephants are held in veneration throughout India, and are keenly sought by all the rajas and maharajas for the prosperity they are supposed to bring, says Charles Mayer, in Asia Magazine. They are guarded more carefully and quartered even more sumptuously than the white elephants of Siam, and the price they will bring is determined almost entirely by the amount they can gather together.

TODAY SHOULD BE BUSY DAY

SEVERAL SENTENCES TO BE PRONOUNCED BY COUNTY JUDGE WELCH AT COOPERSTOWN.

Miles Hall of Hartwick Found Guilty of Third Degree Assault and Will Be Sentenced This Morning—Walter Armstrong, Assault Case Put Over Until Today.

Cooperstown, Dec. 6. — The trial term of county court, with Judge U. G. Welch presiding, was continued here today.

The case of Miles Hall, charged with assault in the second degree, begun late yesterday afternoon, was taken up again at the opening of court this morning. The assault in question was alleged to have been made upon one John Monnigan as the result of an altercation at Hartwick concerning a horse deal while both men were under the influence of hard cider. C. G. Tennant represented the defendant, while Adrian Pierson as district attorney acted for the People. The case went to the jury late in the afternoon, and after about half an hour of deliberation a verdict of guilty of assault in the third degree was rendered. The judge withheld sentence until Wednesday morning.

While the jury was out on this case, the district attorney asked for dismissal of an indictment against Harry Kulakowske on account of lack of sufficient evidence to insure conviction. He was charged with being an accomplice of Paul Gogul, who was convicted at a previous term of court for violation of the penal law in regard to transportation of liquor.

The cases of the People vs. Frank Ivanelli for violation of the penal law and Walter Armstrong, for assault in the second degree, but who had formerly pleaded not guilty, were both put over until tomorrow, as the defendants were without attorneys.

The last case of the day was that of the People vs. Roy Decker for forgery in the second degree. The crime was alleged to have been committed in the town of Morris in 1918. He was formerly represented by Attorneys Everett and Clarence Holmes. At his first trial, the jury disagreed and the case was put over. Since that time the case has been postponed on account of sickness of the defendant and other reasons. At present he is represented by Judge N. P. Willis.

Following the impanelling of the jury for today, Judge Welch declared a recess until 9:30 Wednesday morning.

Demands Jury Trial.

His constitutional right of a trial by jury was demanded by Lewis McAlarm of South Gilboa, arrested Monday night, and arraigned yesterday morning on a charge of public intoxication before City Judge Huntington. Accordingly he was released under $200 bail and will defend his plea of not guilty in city court Saturday morning.

Ninety Days to Think It Over.

Bert Smith of Troy and Harry Allen of Brooklyn, arrested Monday, pleaded guilty to a charge of vagrancy when arraigned before City Judge Huntington yesterday morning. They will spend 90 days in the county jail for their seeming lack of desire to make profitable use of their time.

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GIRL MOTHER DISCHARGED

Mrs. Margaret Bean of Masonville Goes Free After Hearing Before County Judge McNaught.

Delhi, Dec. 6. — The December term of Delaware county court convened at 2 p. m. Monday with Judge Andrew J. McNaught presiding. There nine cases on the calendar, and these, together with a number of criminal cases which are to be tried, will no doubt occupy the attention of the judge and jury for the entire week.

Previous to drawing a jury, a number of motions were argued before Judge McNaught. Among them was the case of Mrs. Margaret Bean of Masonville, which has received some publicity since the matter first came before Justice of the Peace Willis at Masonville. Mrs. Bean, only 17 years of age, has a baby five months old. She asserted she left home when her husband attempted to smother the baby. Soon after leaving home, she was arrested on the charge of stealing a fountain pen belonging to her husband. The pen was found in her possession, although she claimed she did not know it was among the things she took from home when she left. When first arraigned before Justice Willis she pleaded guilty to larceny and was sentenced to three years in the Western House of Refuge at Albion. She was in the Delhi jail for seven days, when friends came to her rescue and furnished bail.

At the hearing before Judge McNaught yesterday, the sentence was reduced to a fine of $7 or the alternative of seven days in jail. As she had already served the sentence, Mrs. Bean was discharged. A. F. Curtis appeared for Mrs. Bean.

Late Monday afternoon a jury was obtained and the case of Beaunit vs. Muller was opened. This is a matter of assault, Muller, the defendant, having been indicted by the last grand jury. The parties are from Bovina and the alleged assault was made while the plaintiff was endeavoring to collect a school tax, in the fall of 1920.

Partnership Dissolved

The partnership of Silliman & Sutch, doing business under the name of the Square Deal agency, has been dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Sutch will continue in the real estate business with his headquarters at 53 Clinton street, Oneonta, N. Y.

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Sale of Children's Coats This Week

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9 05	6 15	8 05	2 10	ONEONTA CITY LINE	22.1	9 00	5 00	9 35	6 35
8 45	5 55	7 45	1 55	COLLIERS	16.9	9 15	5 20	9 55	6 55
8 30	5 40	7 30	1 40	MILFORD CENTER	14.	9 25	5 30	10 10	7 10
8 25	5 35	7 25	1 35	PORTLANDVILLE	13.	9 30	5 35	10 15	7 15
8 05	5 20	7 05	1 20	MILFORD	8.1	9 50	5 55	10 30	7 30
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WEST END AND THE PLAINS

Change in Residence—Revival Services Continue at Plains Church—Local and Personal Mention.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hickien moved Monday from 2 Harrison avenue to the Junction. Mr. and Mrs. Byron Markel, who have resided at East End, now occupy the Harrison avenue residence, which is owned by Mrs. Hickien's mother, Mrs. C. L. Griffin.

Revival Meetings at Plains Church.

Revival services were resumed at the Plains Methodist church last night with a good attendance. Evangelist E. F. VanHorne is no stranger to the people of West End and all are glad to again welcome him, with Mrs. VanHorne, who has charge of the music. The services will continue every evening until December 18, and all are invited to be present.

Enjoyable Social Time.

The Booster class of the Elm Park church held a grab bag social in the church parlors last Friday evening, with a good attendance despite the stormy weather. An enjoyable social evening was passed and the event was also a success financially, home made candies and refreshments being sold. The members of the class, which is conducted by B. B. St. John, are to be congratulated on their enterprise.

Mrs. Robinson Loses Sister.

Mrs. Frank Robinson of 3 Harrison avenue received a telegram last week stating that her sister, Mrs. Newton Perry, was critically ill of pneumonia at her home in Toledo, Ohio. Mrs. Robinson left at once for Toledo, but her sister had passed away before her arrival. She remained for the funeral and has just arrived home. Mrs. Perry leaves her husband and three small sons.

Items of Interest.

Miss Ruth Truesdale of 368 Chestnut, who underwent a minor operation last week at the Fox Memorial hospital, is improving nicely.—Mrs. Belle Stilson of Worcester was the week-end guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Allen, 37½ Chestnut street.—Mrs. John Rose, who is seriously ill with pneumonia at the family home, 267 Chestnut street, is gaining slowly.—Dr. Emory Gregory of Whitney Point spent the week-end with his brother, Hal Gregory, Oneonta Plains.—Mrs. Bruce Larrabee of 269 Chestnut street is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Eliza Lewis, in Hobart, for a few days.—Mr. and Mrs. Elmer C. Allen motored to Treadwell Sunday, where they called on Mr. and Mrs. Jay Scrambling.—Mrs. W. U. Woodworth and son, Donald, of 243 Chestnut street, are spending a few days with her mother, Mrs. Henry Rivvet, at Boston. On the return trip, they will stop over at Schenectady to visit Wallace Woodworth jr.

Raw Fur Prices Lower.

The following article appeared in the financial section of the New York Tribune of December 5th:

"The speculative advance in raw furs was checked last week when the determination of the manufacturing furriers to remain out of the market until practically all of the new season's catch was collected in the hands of dealers received publicity following a meeting at which this intention was expressed. Prices dropped 25 per cent from the peak reached the week before, according to some dealers. Conservative dealers, however, did not advance their prices as much as the small speculative dealers had."

In an article written for The Star, which appeared in November 15th issue, we predicted a decline in the market as we did not believe that prices being offered by small buyers were warranted by conditions prevailing at the time and so stated in the article above referred to. Many small buyers and trappers with limited capital and experience have held their furs for higher prices with the result that heavy losses will be incurred. Fake price lists issued by various concerns have contributed their share toward causing these losses and many have learned, to their sorrow that "a hair in the head is worth two in the brush." We have always competed with "fly by night" buyers who are here today and gone tomorrow and we will continue to meet unfair competition in the future as we have in the past.

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Hobart Christmas Sale Today.

Hobart, Dec. 6.—The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will hold their annual Christmas sale and dinner in the church parlors Wednesday afternoon and evening. The sale will begin at 2:30 and dinner will be from 5:30 until all are served. Dinner, 40c.

Church Supper at Davenport.

Davenport, Dec. 6.—The Home Missionary society of the United Presbyterian church will hold a clam chowder supper and sale of fancy articles in the church parlors on Friday evening of this week. The supper will begin at 6 o'clock and continue until all are served.

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ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERING

OPEN SESSION LAST EVENING OF SECOND ANNUAL COUNTY MERCHANTS CONFERENCE.

More Than 75 Merchants, Farmers, and Thir Wives Attend Dinner Meeting at Hotel Oneonta—Excellent Addresses Sound Key Note of Cooperation Between Retailers and Consumer—Main Sessions Today Will Be of Rare Interest.

Starting with an enthusiastic session at the Hotel Oneonta last evening, the second annual Merchants' conference will be in full swing today with session at 10 a. m. and 2:30 p. m. at Municipal hall and the main dinner meeting at 7 o'clock tonight at the Hotel Oneonta.

H. J. Bigelow will lead a round-table discussion for merchants this morning, the speaker being owner of a large store in North Lawrence in St. Lawrence county and a community builder of high type. Ralph W. Murdock will preside, Alvin E. Dodd of Washington, Miss A. J. Warner of the Home Economics department at Ithaca, and Prof. J. E. Boyle, also of Cornell university will be the chief speakers at the afternoon session with F. H. Bresee presiding. Consumers as well as merchants are invited to this meeting in order to hear the exchange of their respective viewpoints.

This evening's program is of considerable credit to the conference committee, the three speakers all being experts in business topics. Frank Farrington of Delhi, editor of Inland Storkeeping, William W. Orr, editor of Credit Monthly, and W. H. Farley, who will give a motion picture lecture on retailing. C. C. Miller will be toastmaster. Reservations for the dinner should be telephoned to the Chamber of Commerce offices, 826, as early as possible today. Clerks as well as proprietors of establishments are urged to attend.

Opening Session Last Evening.

More than 75 merchants, farmers, and their wives gathered at the opening session of the conference at the Hotel Oneonta last evening, beginning with an enjoyable dinner at 7 o'clock.

President Frank M. Smith of the Farm bureau and Improvement Association presided at the meeting and explained that the object of the opening session was for the exchange of viewpoints of the farmer and his merchant.

That the credit system is unfair was the assertion made by George H. Ritter of Edmeston, the first speaker, who had as his subject, "What I would do if I were Running a Country Store," as representative of the Farm bureau. He pointed out that the customer who pays cash and enables the merchant to take a discount on his goods must pay the same price as the customer who gets goods on credit and increases the cost of the merchants' doing business.

Mr. Ritter deplored the tendency of merchants in villages having only a half a dozen stores or so in encroaching on the lines carried by each other, thus reducing the revenue produced on the same overhead which would mean a bigger price to the customer. He pointed out the interdependence of farmers and their merchants and urged greater cooperation.

"A satisfied woman customer can be more beneficial to merchants than any type of advertising," Mrs. E. F. Theyson stated in speaking for the Home bureau on the topic, "What a Woman Expects of Her Retailer." Among the ways a merchant can please a customer, especially a woman, are a courteous reception, personal service, an attractive display of goods, protection of perishable foodstuffs, and retaining popular brands of goods in stock instead of substituting "just as good" articles.

"There is no need for the patronage given to mail order houses" Mrs. Theyson declared, "so long as proper cooperation exists between merchants and their customers. The Home bureau members are willing to do their share to cooperate."

"Have confidence in your merchant," George L. Winans urged the farmers and their wives present, in replying to the criticism of Mr. Ritter and Mrs. Theyson of the merchants. The get-together spirit between merchant and customer can be well expressed by the latter in making any criticism of clerks to the proprietor and in carrying any other complaint to the merchant himself.

Taking Mrs. Theyson's point about the offering of substitute goods, Mr. Winans asked the pointed question, "Does the mail order house offer substantial goods or the substitute of supposedly "just as good" quality?" He also pointed out that the customer generally insisted on having package goods carrying trade marks, and necessarily selling at a higher price, rather than accept the same or similar goods in bulk at a lower price in answering one of the objections advanced by Mr Ritter. The other side of the price question was likewise explained by the merchants' speaker in showing the losses incurred by merchants when prices went down, although the government forced them to sell at a fixed profit rather than at the replacement value of the goods during the war. He also told of other unfair considerations of merchants by their customers and urged a spirit of mutual confidence and support.

Due to the inability of H. J. Bigelow to reach the city until this morning, his place on the program was taken by Prof. J. E. Boyle of the Extension department at the State college of Agriculture.

Better service has been placed before lower prices by consumers and merchants are now doing business on that principle, Mr. Boyle declared, answering Mr. Ritter's criticism of the credit system by showing that customers demanded it. He gave several examples of how the better service demands of consumers has built up the middleman system which is responsible for the present scale of prices.

"A mail order house and a chain store can give only a lower price and not good service or satisfaction, nor do they help build your community as your merchant does," Prof. Boyle said. "Give your merchant a chance to bid on your order, before you buy from a mail order house, if you ever do," he urged. Cooperation, a frank understanding, and dismissal of suspicion between merchants and customers will do more to solve the present problems than anything else he said.

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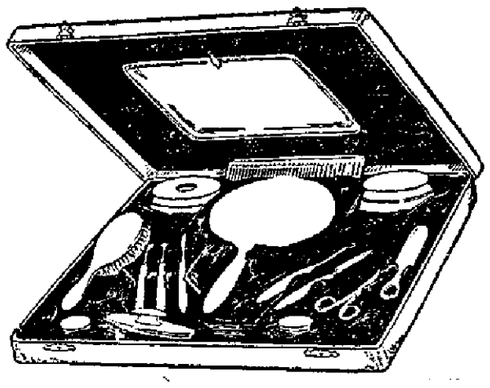

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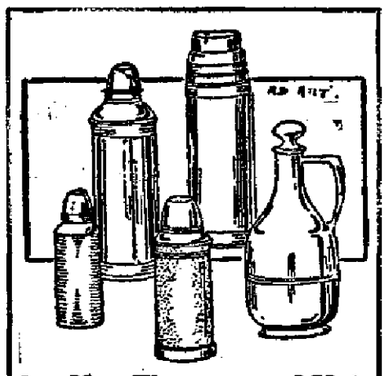

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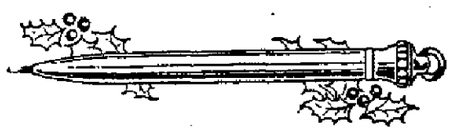

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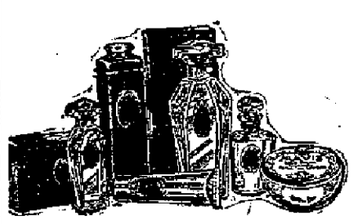

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- Brushes and Combs
- Ivory Pin Cushion
- $5.00 New Gillette Razors $4.29
- Holiday Package Venida Hair Nets $1.50
- Shumate Razors $2.00 up
- Everready Safety Razors
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- Rosaries
- Ivory Boudoir Sets
- $3.00 Auto Strop Razors $4.29
- Colgate's Perfumes
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COUNTY HOME BUREAU

INTERESTING SESSION TUESDAY MORNING.

Reports of Year Submitted and Plans Outlined for 1922—Mrs. P. R. Hadsell Presents Statement for Executive Committee—Miss Van Cleef Remembered.

The Otsego County Home bureau held its annual meeting yesterday morning at the Municipal hall in Oneonta There was a good attendance about 35 of the branches in the county being represented. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. W. G. Wright of Milford Center, who briefly welcomed the membership and asked for effective cooperation of all in carrying on the work.

The report of the secretary, Mrs. Thomas Cunningham of Middlefield Center, was also read and accepted and the new constitution and by-laws with such changes as were recommended in order to make it conform to the State college regulations, was adopted.

Mrs. A. W. Brown of Plainfield read the report of the committee on program for 1922. Among the projects which were recommended and approved were clothing, health and nutrition in home and school, food projects, civic projects and community activities. The program as outlined indicates a year full of good work throughout the county.

Appeal for Membership.

Mrs. P. R. Hadsell of Worcester, representing the executive committee submitted the following appeal, which by unanimous vote of the club The Star was requested to publish The report, which it is a pleasure to present to our readers, is as follows.

"Another year it falls to my lot to present the appeal for members Again it would be most gratifying could I give you full directions how to associate every last woman in each community with the Home bureau.

"We have reached a time in our history, when, I am confident, our value and real worth has been proved. The Home bureau is no longer an experiment; and because of this, I feel that our slogan can be "Once a member, always a member."

"As we look about us at our well established institutions—the church, O. E. S, D. A. R., Rebekahs, clubs of all kinds—do we join just for one year to see how we are pleased and if everything is not just to our taste, drop out? How many of us have ever found any organization perfect, according to our individual taste? Are any two persons in this world exactly agreed in ideas? What a tiresome world this would be, and how monotonous life, if there was no spice to vary the routine of existence.

"I want to repeat again what many of you have heard me say before. If you are not satisfied with what you are getting from the Home bureau, there is no one to blame but yourself There are enough women connected with the Home Bureau to give help along all lines, and if you do not make your wants known, how can you be helped? To me one of the real advantages of fraternal organizations is that of helpfulness. If you are not getting what you want are you trying to help some one else?

"This year as you enroll your members, why not use the plan of perpetual membership? Say to the woman, it is time to pay dues for 1922, not 'Won't you join for another year?' We want at least 1,300 members, and we want that membership to begin today. These women near the door will record your name, and take your dues if you can pay today; if not, some other time.

"We had a splendid membership in 1921, so, if we keep all we now have and add just a few more, the goal can be easily reached. How many of us have thought of the use in recent years to which we have put the word 'drive?'

"We drive for funds, we drive for members, we drive to push all sorts of plans forward—we now want to drive for the Home bureau To add a little 'pep' and inspiration to the work, the Executive board will give a prize to the club reaching its quota of members first before January 1, 1922, and the club which farthest exceeds its quota by February 1, 1922, will be awarded the banner for the year.

"The benefits from belonging to the bureau are so many that one person cannot enumerate them. If you have ever had a round table discussion you will know that each woman is benefitted in a different way.

"We have all found that the bureau stands for something more than cooking and canning. Have we not learned that there is a reason and real science in each act of housekeeping? Has not our association with the Home bureau broadened our vision of life and made us better acquainted with our neighbors, and taken us out of ruts which were wearing out all the ambitious feelings we ever had? Are we fortunate in living in a locality that has been benefitted by development of 'Community Spirit,' where community sings and get-together meetings are looked forward to my both old and young, and where each gathering is better than the last?

"We could go on almost indefinitely with the different benefits we have received, but they all go to show that the Home bureau has come to stay and is an important factor in community and home life.

"Every woman in the county owes it to herself and to her family to become a member, not only from the selfish standpoint for what she is going to receive, but what she can give in service to others. Are you a member? Join now!"

Following the address by Mrs. Hadsell, the roll of the county was called and two-minute reports were given by secretaries or other representatives of 27 local Home bureaus. The reports, though brief, were interesting, indicating not only much routine work accomplished but also a notable degree of initiative and of adaptation of the general plan to meet local emergencies and conditions.

A resolution was offered and unanimously adopted directing that the secretary of the Home bureau write the Oneonta Chamber of Commerce expressing its thanks for the establishment of a rest room, as recommended by the bureau at its meeting a year ago.

Mrs. Hadsell, in behalf of the executive committee, presented a fine amythest ring to Miss VanCleef, who is the retiring secretary of the Home bureau, expressing at the same time the appreciation of the committee and membership for the excellent work which she has done and its regret that personal reasons, owing to the recent death of a sister, demand her presence in the household. Miss VanCleef, who was deeply affected, expressed her heartfelt thanks.

Following a brief address by Miss Martha VanRenssalaer, of the College of Agriculture, who spoke more at length at the joint meeting in the afternoon, the meeting adjourned.

Good tools at Fred M. Baker's. advt 2t

SOMERVILLE BAD ACTOR.

Stole Auto Tire in Norwich, Arrested in Oneonta, Gets 60 Days in Jail.

Edward Somerville, who stole an auto tire in Norwich last week and was arrested in Oneonta, was arraigned Monday before City Judge Forsythe of the former place and sentenced to 60 days in the county jail and to pay a fine of $50.

According to facts in possession of the police of Oneonta and Norwich, Somerville is a bad actor. He was formerly employed in Norwich and is reported to have a wife and child now residing there. He is only about 35 years of age, having seen service in the World war, but has a long record of crime.

Somerville is said to be wanted by the Chicago police. While in that city he fell in love with a pretty nurse. They were married She later went to the hospital for an operation. Somerville on the pretext that he needed funds to pay bills contracted by her sickness persuaded her to sign several blank checks. Somerville secured the cash on them, about $1,700 in all, and escaped.

The police of Oneonta are in communication with the Chicago police regarding this affair, and it is quite certain he will be taken to that city after he completes his sentence in Chenango county.

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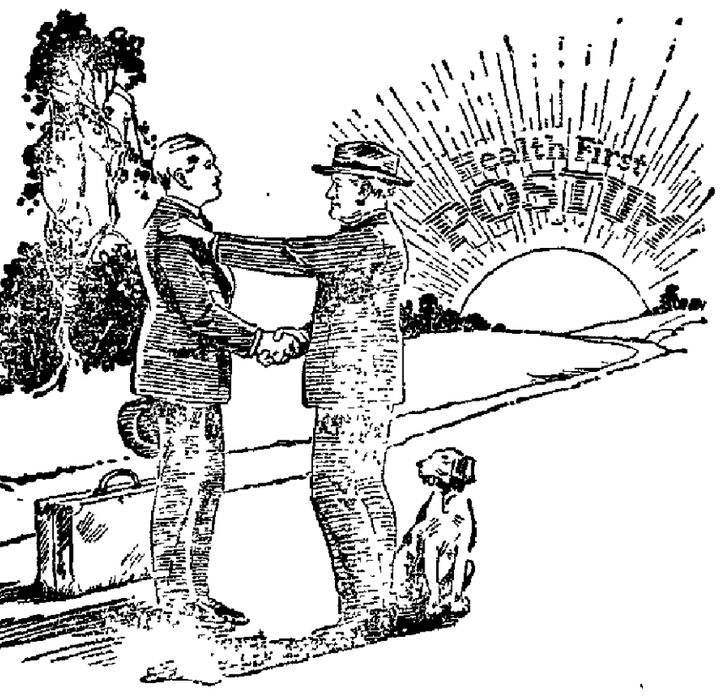

And all he could say, was—"Well, good-bye, Jim—take keer of yourself"

THE POET, Riley, has told the story beautifully and well—how the old-fashioned father sent the boy out into the world. A heart full of affection and hope spoke only these words: "Well, good-bye, Jim; take keer of yourself."

Enough to say, enough to hope for, enough to do—take care of yourself—and there's the foundation of safety, the promise of success.

And how easy a thing to fail in! For instance, the common practice of coffee or tea-drinking administers to the system a dosing of drug whose harm has been pointed out repeatedly by medical men, sometimes in alarming terms—and whose effect is very commonly found in over-excited nerves, sleeplessness, irritability, indigestion, high blood pressure—loss of efficiency; failure to "get on."

The drug, caffeine in coffee and thein in tea, acts as a whip upon the nerves. Over-whipped nerves may run away, or break down, —like an over-whipped horse.

Thousands of people have found for themselves that they cannot safely drink coffee or tea. Some have had the news broken to them by their physicians, and many are complaining about symtoms of nervousness, sleeplessness and lack of alertness during business hours, and wondering what the cause may be —when the cause probably is tea or coffee. A great many people who know they cannot safely drink coffee at night still hope they can go on with it at other times, and dodge the damage.

How easy it is to fail to take care—and how hard the consequences usually are!

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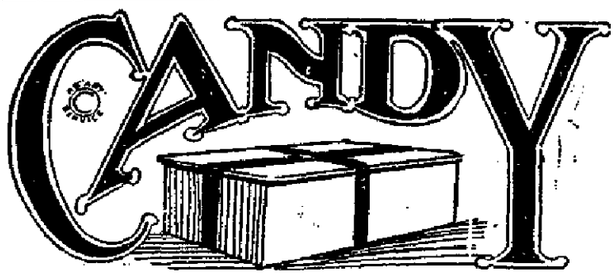

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The Otsego County Farm Bureau, with a record of accomplishments that should assure its continuance, and the County Improvement association, formed two years since to support allied activities, were merged by the affirmative vote of each organization at their respective annual meetings, held yesterday forenoon at the Strand theatre, the united organization to be known as the Otsego County Farm Bureau and Improvement association. The proposals to increase the annual membership dues to $5 and to solicit memberships on the continuation plan were approved. In fact the proposed new constitution and by laws printed recently in the Star were approved, with the amendment that certain activities may be supported by the Bureau, but such action is not made obligatory.

As had been intimated opposition developed at the Farm Bureau meeting and there existed at the outset sentiment that the Bureau should continue its identity and not be merged with the Improvement association. The proposed constitution had no sooner been read than speakers were heard who opposed the plan. The chief objections raised were that the Improvement association is about $5,000 in debt and that the Farm Bureau should be officered and controlled by farmers and without business men having any voice in the management and control.

The feeling was evidently keen among some members against amalgamation. President Smith said that it had been agreed between himself as president of the Farm Bureau and Mr. Barlow that they would not take the floor to champion the merger, but he stated he desired to ask Mr. Barlow to make a few statements that would clear up some evident misunderstandings.

Mr. Barlow then explained that the Improvement association has assumed two-thirds of the salary of the County Agent for the current fiscal year and had appropriated $5,000 for the support of the Junior Extension work. The income of the Improvement association has been considerably below the pledges secured and therefore the shortage. The fact is, however, that, had not the Improvement association assumed the burden of much of the work, the shortage would be of the Farm Bureau and therefore unless the organization wished to repudiate the activities no strictures should be passed upon the good intentions or support given the Bureau by the association.

A. W. Brown of Plainfield and J. D. Beardslee of Pittsfield poured oil upon the troubled waters, expressing gratitude for the support always accorded by the business men of the county and voicing a necessity to support the single unit as the more economical and prudent.

The vote on the adoption of the constitution and by laws as amended was 61 yes and 15 noes. The vote upon the amalgamation was 58 yes to 25 noes.

Association Approves.

President E. W. Elmore of the Improvement association took the chair, after President Smith of the Farm Bureau announced a short intermission of the annual meeting of the older organization. President Elmore expressed surprise to find a suspicion that business men so-called aspired to control in any way the activities of either the older or the merged organization, assured all that it was solely a desire to aid in the work that first inspired the association and that nearly if not quite all of the latter's activities were along the distinct program of Bureau work. He said that he has not opposed in any way the "G. L. F." and had himself recommended the present manager as the most competent man he knows for the position. His remarks were well received. The association then voted unanimously to merge.

Officers Elected.

At the morning session, prior to action on the constitution and merger, the Farm bureau heard the report of the treasurer, C. J. Armstrong, of Milford. This report was substantially the same as that made to the board of supervisors and appearing in a recent issue of The Star. It also heard reports of the activities of the various breeders' clubs and of the work they have undertaken during the past year.

After the other business of the morning had been transacted a committee on nominations was named as follows: F. D. Potter of Oneonta, Samuel Wilber of Worcester, A. W. Brown of Plainfield, John W. Orr of Oneonta and Albert Strait of Laurens was named.

At the opening of the afternoon session the committees reported the following nominations for the unified organization and they were unanimously elected:

President—Frank M. Smith of Springfield.

Vice President—J. D. Beardslee of Pittsfield.

Secretary—W. G. Wright of Milford.

Treasurer—C. J. Armstrong of Milford.

Additional directors—F. D. Potter of West Oneonta, H. H. Marlette of Mt. Vision, A. W. Brown of Plainfield, O. A. Chamberlain of Maryland and George C. Ritter of Edmeston.

At the first meeting of the directors to be held in January the directors will draw for length of terms and the work for the coming years planned.

Winter Meetings.

During the morning session announcement was made that the Holstein club will hold its annual meeting at Hotel Fenimore, Cooperstown, on December 21, with a business session in the morning and after-dinner addresses, chief among which will be one by Prof. H. H. Wing of Cornell Agricultural college.

On the following day, December 22, the Jersey club will hold its winter meeting at the Windsor hotel in Oneonta, the business session in the morning being followed by the dinner and that by an address by Prof. Wing.

Before adjourning in the morning President Smith announced that the report of Mr. Barlow must be greatly abridged because the prepared report had been left at Cooperstown and also because of the lack of time. Mr. Barlow, however, spoke briefly relative to the various activities of the Bureau and said that it is increasingly evident that the organization must have larger dues and must have many members to maintain all of the work, of which none can be omitted another year without actual loss to the county. He expressed a hope that all will unite heartily in the work for another year and help in maintaining the high standing of the county among the other counties of the state. One-third of the membership in the past has been among business men and the Bureau needs their continued support, he said. He stated that already 35 of the counties of the state have placed their Bureaus on the $5 annual dues plan.

The Afternoon Session.

The Strand theatre was filled to overflowing at the afternoon session at which the principal addresses of the day were delivered. First a reel of motion pictures was given which was sent out by the department of agriculture at Washington. It gives in interesting and forceful way many suggestions relative to the eradication of tuberculosis in the dairy herds of the country. It was instructive and received closest attention.

Owen C. Becker, president of the Oneonta Chamber of Commerce, was first announced and he welcomed those from about the county in attendance, assuring all that the city has joined in the activities of both of the old organizations and will continue to do so in the new with no thought of other motive that the promotion of the best interests of the county and assisting in keeping the county to the fore among the agricultural counties of the state.

President Smith in responding said that he would not take the time of the gathering to respond with praises for the city for it position he was sure is known and appreciated. He did wish, he declared, to call attention to the fact that the Junior Extension work, which is one of the most important if not the most important work to be undertaken, will require $5,000 and that it will require 1,000 members to meet this expense alone. During the past year 15 projects have been carried in which 1,726 children have been interested and of which 1,415 have carried through to the end. These have grown produce worth $26,619 of which $9,738 was profit to these youthful producers. President Smith expressed a hope that all who approve of the Junior Extension work will give their support to the campaign for members.

Prof. Martha Van Rensselaer of the Home Economics department at the state college of agriculture was then presented and she plead eloquently for bettered conditions in the farm home as a prime essential to the advancement of rural life. While we are striving for a steady improvement of the conditions of the farmer we must not ignore the home, for the farmer's family must necessarily have much of home life.

The improved machinery and betterments made have freed the housewife from much time and work required but they have undertaken many things that while perhaps not increasing production have improved materially conditions surrounding rural life. While the commonwealth is doing much to equip and make successful the farmer, the obligation is none the less incumbent to make the farmer's wife equally efficient and capable in the work devolving upon her. This is the Home Economics department is aiming to do and with the successful carrying out of the program outlined today the organization in Otsego will do

Dean A. R. Mann of the College of Agriculture at Ithaca was the last speaker and he was given a cordial welcome by the gathering. He plunged at once into the discussion of the relation of the town to county and said that among the English colonists who settled here there were two distinct types of farmers, those who were self sufficient and self sustaining, who manufactured as well as grew all that they required for life, and the other class who specialized exchange a surplus of what they produced by means of some basis for what others more specialized in manufacturing had that they desired. The latter the commercial farmers have come to prevail almost without exception.

Following the latter condition there comes the question of economy of production so that one class may receive just return in the products of others for what they have produced for others. Then too there has arisen the difficult problem of economy of distribution so that the one class has not to pay more than they should to secure what has been produced elsewhere. The problems before the world is the solution of these two questions the speaker said. He continuing discussed many phases of the farmer's and the producers' problems, of which, however, space prevents further summarizing. His address closed the day's exercises.

Supervisors Attend Sessions.

The board of supervisors adjourned at Cooperstown early in the morning and came to the city in a body, attending both sessions, thereby displaying the interest in the agricultural problems of the county which has always been characteristic of the board. The supervisors were guests of The Oneonta Star at a luncheon at the Hotel Oneonta.

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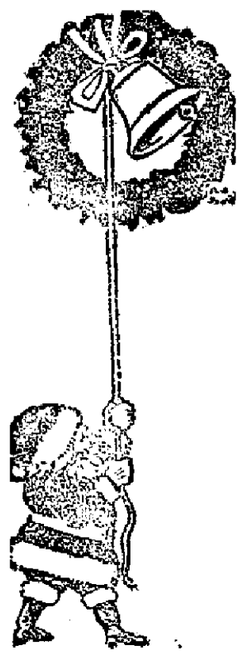

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